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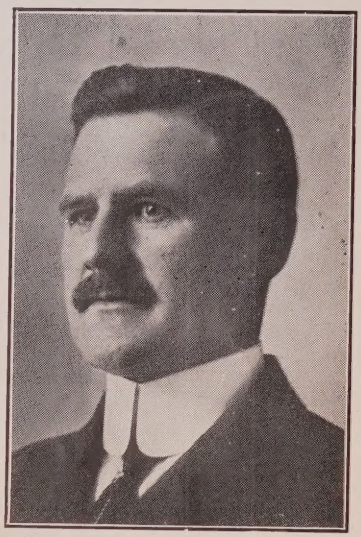

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THE CITY OFFICIALS

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

City Clerk ..... W. W. Sands
Appointed Oct. 22nd, 1906.

TREASURER'S OFFICE.

City Treasurer ..... Oscar V. Bartels
Appointed Assistant October, 1887, and City Treasurer Dec. 22nd, 1913.

ENGINEER'S OFFICE.

City Engineer ..... Richard J. McLelland
Appointed December 18th, 1911.

Assistant to City Engineer ..... Howard Dick
Appointed October 10th, 1916.

Foreman of Streets ..... Thomas Timms
Appointed December 21st, 1903.

TAX DEPARTMENT.

Assessment Commissioner ..... Edwin Mooers
Appointed March 26th, 1917.

Assessor ..... William D. Dick
Appointed April 23rd, 1917.

Collector of Taxes ..... William A. Newlands
Appointed December 22nd, 1913.

OTHER OFFICIALS.

City Solicitor ..... John L. Whiting
Appointed March 12th, 1917.

Medical Health Officer ..... A. R. B. Williamson, M.B.
Appointed September 27th, 1909.

City Auditor ..... A. H. Muir
Appointed October 1st, 1909.

Sanitary Inspector ..... Nicholas Timmerman
Appointed April 25th, 1916.

Market Clerk ..... William McCammon

Manager of Civic Utilities .....Collander C. Folger
Appointed August 8th, 1894.

Superintendent of Parks .....Arthur W. Philips
Appointed March 18th, 1918.

Inspector of Garbage ..... Nicholas Timmerman
Appointed April 25th, 1916.

Pound Keeper ..... Dougald Campbell
Appointed April 25th, 1916.

Messenger ..... John Ballantyne
Appointed June 9th, 1902.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Commissioners, J. M. Farrell, Police Magistrate, Chairman; H. A. Lavell, County Judge; His Worship the Mayor; Clerk, R. W. Nesbitt.

Police Magistrate ..... J. M. Farrell
Appointed October 18th, 1902.

Chief Constable ..... R. W. Nesbitt
Appointed April 3rd, 1918.

Sergeants ..... Jas. Bateson, S. J. Arneil

Constables: John Naylon, Thos. Mullinger, M. J. Armstrong, Daniel E. McCarey, Jas. Cotter, W. A. Nicholson, M. E. Jenkin, Lesslie B. Clark, T. L. Armstrong, Edmund Graham, Ernest Clarke.

Matron, Annie Smith.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Bert. Blackhall, Chairman; Dr. Williamson, M.H.O.; Dr. L. E. Crowley, Mayor Hughes, Ernest Cain.

Secretary ..... W. W. Sands

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Chief ..... James Armstrong

Captains .....Fred. Rreid, No. 1 station; Wm. Cockdade, No. 2 station

Electrician ..... John Hall

Engineer ..... W. H. Way

Firemen—Thos. Patterson, Thos. Lawlor, Chas. Brown, J. Burns, R. Davis. Firemen overseas: Alvin Lutz, Alfred Tugwood, Garnet Murray, Alfred Patrick. Home guard duty, Wm. Hall.

Stableman, Thos. Boucher.

Drivers: Fred Shepherd, Leo. Hart, A. Boucher, Hugh Pollie V. Brightman, C. Saunders, B. Redden, S. Christmas.

COURT OF REVISION.

Thomas Dawson, Sheriff, Chairman; G. H. Williamson, Samuel R. Bailey.

MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL, 1918.

Mayor ..... John M. Hughes

ALDERMEN.

Sydenham Ward—David A. Black, Dennis J. Millan, Thomas Hewitt.

Ontario Ward—Norman A. Smith, Robert Edwin Kent, Nicholas E. O'Connor.

St. Lawrence Ward—Geo. C. Wright, W. J. B. White, Wm. J. Hooper.

Cataraqui Ward—Jas. Norris, Chas. S. Anglin, Alfred Simmons.

Frontenac Ward—James W. Smith, Wm. P. Peters, S. S. Corbett

Rideau Ward—Richard Armstrong, Daniel Couper, William R. Clugston.

Victoria Ward—Percy B. Chown, John W. Litton, Henry W. Newman.

MINUTES

OF THE

CITY COUNCIL

FOR THE YEAR 1918

Council Chamber, Kingston, Jan. 14th, 1918.

The inaugural meeting of the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston for the year 1918 was held in the Council Chamber at 11 o'clock to-day.

W. W. Sands, City Clerk, administered the declaration of office to the Mayor-elect, John McKane Hughes, who then took his seat and administered the declaration of office to the Aldermen-elect as follows:—

Sydenham Ward—David Allen Black, Thomas Hewitt, Dennis J. Millan.

Ontario Ward—Robert Edwin Kent, Nicholas Edward O'Connor, Norman Alfred Smith.

St. Lawrence Ward—William Joseph Hooper, William J. B. White, George Clark Wright.

Cataraqui Ward—Charles Samuel Anglin, James Norris, Alfred Simmons.

Frontenac Ward—Samuel Stuart Corbett, William Palmer Peters, James Wriley Smith.

Rideau Ward—Richard Armstrong, William Robert Clugston, Daniel Couper.

Victoria Ward—Percy Bloor Chown, John William Litton, Henry Wallace Newman.

The City Clerk then called the roll, the following members being present:

His Worship Mayor Hughes, Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hewitt, Hooper, Kent, Litton, Millan, Norris, Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, Smith, J. W., Smith, N. A., White, Wright.

The Mayor announced that he would deliver his inaugural address at the first regular meeting.

Appointment of Standing Committees.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (1) that the following be a committee to strike the Standing Committees for 1918: Ald. Black, Corbett, Litton, Armstrong, Kent, Wright.—Carried.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 1 from the Special Committee on Appointment of Standing Committees as follows:

Kingston, Jan. 14th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Special Committee on Appointment of Standing Committees begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the Standing Committees for the year 1918 be as follows:

Finance—The Mayor, Ald. Kent, O'Connor, Wright, Corbett, Litton, Newman.

Board of Works—Ald. O'Connor, Black, Wright, Simmons, J. W. Smith, Couper, Litton.

Fire and Light—Ald. Litton, Millan, Hewitt, White, Anglin, Clugston, Chown.

City Property and Markets—Ald. Corbett, Millan, Hooper, Norris, Peters, Armstrong, Chown.

Parks—Ald. Kent, N. Smith, White, Simmons, J. W. Smith, Clugston, Armstrong.

Garbage and Refuse—Ald. Newman, Hewitt, Anglin.
Industries—Ald. Wright, Hooper, Peters.
Home for the Aged and Infirm—R. Meek and D. Couper.
Board of Health—Dr. L. E. Crowley, E. Cain, Harry Sharpe.
Board of Education—R. Meek, A. W. Sawyer.
Court of Revision—George Williamson.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed)
R. E. KENT
S. S. CORBETT,
D. ALLAN BLACK,
GEO. C. WRIGHT.
objecting to Board Works,
R. G. ARMSTRONG,
J. W. LITTON.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Corbett (2) that the report of the Special Committee for Striking the Standing Committees be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Wright, that the report of the Special Committee to appoint the Standing Committees be amended as follows: by substituting the name of Ald. Peters for that of Ald. Smith, and the name of Ald. Chown for that of Ald. Litton on the Board of Works, and by substituting the name of Ald. Peters for that of Ald. Smith on City Property and Markets.

Moved in amendment to the amendment by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Simmons, that the Special Committee retire again to consider the report to appoint the Standing Committees.

The amendment to the amendment was voted on and lost, the amendment was then voted on and lost. The original motion was then declared carried .

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

Medical Health Officer's Report.
Sam. Kemp re refund restaurant license.
J. Ross Robertson re Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto.
Mrs. E. M. Baker re payment of taxes.
Ontario Association for the Blind re appointment of a Commission.

Board Works.

Mrs. Helen Savage asking for damages on account of injury.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Armstrong presented By-law No. 1, 1918. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote ,a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. White in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows :

BY-LAW NO. 1, 1918.

A By-law to adopt for the year "1918" the assessment of the Municipality of the City of Kingston, made in the year 1917, under the provisions of Section 56 of the "Assessment Act" and of By-law No. 8 of the Revised By-laws of the City of Kingston, passed under the authority of said section.

Passed January 14th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows :

1. The assessment of the Municipality, made in the year 1917, under the provisions of section 56 of "The Assessment Act," and of By-law No. 8 of the Revised By-laws of the City of Kingston, passed under the authority of said section, is hereby adopted as the assessment on which the rate of taxation for the year 1918 shall be levied in this Municipality.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk. J. M. HUGHES, Mayor. [L.S.]

Ald. Black presented By-law No. 2, 1918. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Wright in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 2, 1918.

A By-law to appoint three members of the Local Board of Health for the City of Kingston.

Passed January 14th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. The following persons, being resident ratepayers of the said City of Kingston, are hereby appointed members of the Local Board of Health for said city to replace the present members of said Board, and to continue for one year, ending the second Monday in January, A. D. 1919, to wit, Dr. L. E. Crowley, Ernest Cain and Harry Sharpe.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, J. M. HUGHES, [L.S.]
Mayor. City Clerk.

Ald. Couper presented By-law No. 3, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. N. A. Smith in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

A By-law to appoint two Trustees on the Board of Education for the City of Kingston for High School purposes, to fill the annual vacancies caused by retirements.

Passed January 14th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. That Robert Meek and W. A. Sawyer be and they are hereby appointed to be Trustees for High School purposes to fill the vacancies caused by retirement of that number of trustees from the Board as provided by the "High School Act."

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, J. M. HUGHES, [L.S.]
City Clerk. Mayor.

Ald. Clugston presented By-law No. 4, 1918. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. J. W. Smith in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 4, 1918.

A By-law to appoint two members of the Court of Revision of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. That George H. Williamson be and he is hereby appointed a member of the Court of Revision of said City in the place of the member last appointed by the Council of this Municipality.

2. That the appointment of Samuel R. Bailey by His Worship the Mayor to be a member of the Court of Revision of said City in the place of the member last appointed by the Mayor be and the same is hereby confirmed.

3. That each member of the Court of Revision of said City shall be paid at the rate of $50.00 per annum.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk. J. M. HUGHES, Mayor. [L.S.]

Ald. Chown presented By-law No. 5 ,1918. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole ,Ald. Simmons in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 5, 1918.

A By-law to further amend By-law No. 17 of 1905 of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, being "a By-law to authorize the issue of debentures of the City of Kingston in two several issues to the amount of $82,000 and $100,000 respectively, and to repeal By-law No. 12 of 1904," as such By-law No. 17 was amended by By-law No. 8 of 1917.

Passed January 14th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. Sections 3, 4 and 5 of Part II. of said By-law No. 17 of 1905 as amended by said By-law No. 8 of 1917, and validated and confirmed by an Act of the Legislature of the Province of Ontario passed in the session held in the seventh year of the reign of His Majesty King George V., and chaptered 73, are hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor:

2. The said debt of $100,000 shall be payable in annual instalments within thirty years from the first day of May, 1918, at the office of the City Treasurer in said City, and the said debentures shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of the interest thereon half-yearly as hereinafter provided, which coupons shall be signed by the said Treasurer and said instalments of principal shall be of such amounts that with the interest in respect of the debt payable as aforesaid the aggregate amount payable for principal and interest in each year shall be as nearly as possible the same, provided that each instalment of principal may be for an even $100, $500 or $1,000, or multiple thereof, and the annual instalments of principal and interest may differ in amount sufficiently to admit thereof.

3. The said debentures shall be dated on the first day of May, 1918, and shall be issued within two years after the passing of this By-law and shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interets shall be payable half-yearly on the first day of May and November in each year at the office of the said City Treasurer in the City of Kingston.

4. For the payment of the said debt last above mentioned and the interest to become due thereon, an annual sum of $7,265, or such approximate sum as may be required to pay the combined instalment of principal and interest in each year ,shall be raised in each year, of the said period of thirty years by a special rate upon all rateable property in said municipality.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its being ratified and confirmed by an Act of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk. J. M. HUGHES, Mayor. [L.S.]

Ald. Corbett presented By-law No. 6, 1918. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Peters in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 6, 1918.

A By-law to appoint two members of the Board of Management of the House of Refuge for the City of Kingston.

Passed January 14th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:

1. The following are hereby appointed members of the Board of Management of the House of Refuge of the City of Kingston to replace the present appointed members of said Board, and to continue for one year ending the second Monday in January, A. D. 1919, to wit, Ald. D. Couper and Robert Meek.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk. J. M. HUGHES, Mayor. [L.S.]

Ald. Hooper presented By-law No. 7, 1918. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. O'Connor in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows :

BY-LAW NO. 7, 1918.

A By-law to authorize the Head and Treasurer of the Corporation of the City of Kingston to borrow certain sums to meet the current ordinary expenditure of the Corporation.

Passed January 14th, 1918.

WHEREAS in order to meet the current ordinary expenditure of the Corporation and the sums required to be raised in the current year for High and Public School purposes, it is necessary to borrow money in anticipation until such times as the taxes to be levied therefor are collected, and whereas it is necessary under Clause 319 of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1914, to pass a By-law authorizing such to be done.

AND WHEREAS the Council deems the sum of $200,000 necessary to meet the current ordinary expenditure of the said Corporation, and the sums required to be raised in the current year for High and Public School purposes until the taxes are collected, and said sum does not exceed ninety per cent. of the ordinary expenditure of the said Corporation for the next preceding

year, together with the amount required to be raised for High and Public School purposes for the current year; and it is deemed expedient to authorize the Head and Treasurer to borrow the said sum of $200,000.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. That the Head and Treasurer of the said Corporation be and they are hereby authorized under the seal of the Corporation to borrow from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate the sum of $200,000, which sum is deemed necessary by the Council to meet the current ordinary expenditure of the Corporation and the sums required to be raised in the current year for High and Public School purposes until the taxes are collected.

2. That the said Head with the Treasurer aforesaid, be and they are hereby authorized to pay or allow the said person or persons, body or bodies corporate interest on the said sum so borrowed at the rate of 5½%.

3. That a promissory note, or notes, covenant or agreement, sealed with the Corporation seal and signed on behalf of the Corporation by the Mayor and Treasurer, be duly executed and given to the said person or persons, body or bodies corporate as aforesaid as security for the repayment of the amount borrowed with interest thereon as aforesaid.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk. J. M. HUGHES, Mayor. [L. S.]

Ald. Kent presented By-law No. 8, 1918. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Newman in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 8, 1918.

A By-law to raise by way of loan on the credit of the debentures of the Municipality of the City of Kingston the sum of $60,000 for patriotic purposes.

Passed January 14th, 1918.

WHEREAS, by an Act of the Ontario Legislature, George V., Chapter 37, entitled "An Act to Authorize and Confirm Grants by Municipal Corporations for Patriotic Purposes," and the amendments thereto, any Municipal Corporation may pass by-laws for granting aid to the Canadian Patriotic Fund and the other patriotic purposes therein set out.

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation has already granted aid to certain of these purposes and proposes to grant further aid, the total amount of such further aid and of the debt to be created by this By-law being the sum of $60,000.

AND WHEREAS the total amount required to be raised annually by special rate on all the rateable property of the municipality liable thereto for paying the said debt and interest as hereinafter provided is as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Municipality, according to the last revised assessment roll of the said Municipality, being for the year 1917, is $13,459,848.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the existing debenture debt of the said Municipality, exclusive of the Local Improvement debts, secured by special act, rates or assessments, is $1,493,050.26, and no part of the same or of the interest thereon is in arrear.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation, for the purposes aforesaid, to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the Corporation by the issue of debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the said sum of $60,000 an dto cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose aforesaid.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor for the purpose of said loan to cause any number of debentures to be issued for such sums of money as may be required, not less than One Hundred Dollars each, which said debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Municipality and signed by the said Mayor and countersigned by the said Treasurer, and together shall not exceed the sum of $60,000.

3. The said debt shall be payable in annual instalments within twenty years from the first day of January, 1918, at the office of the City Treasurer in said city and the said debentures shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest thereon half-yearly as hereinafter provided, which coupons shall be signed by the said Treasurer and said instalments of principal shall be of such amounts that with the interest in respect of the debt payable as aforesaid the aggregate amount payable for principal and interest in each year shall be as nearly as possible the same, provided that each instalment of principal may be for an even $100, $500, or $1,000, or multiple thereof, and the annual instalments of principal and interest may differ in amount sufficiently to admit thereof.

4. The said debentures shall all bear the same date and shall be issued within two years after the passing of this By-law and shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the 1st day of January, 1918, which interest shall be payable half-yearly on the first day of the months of January and July in each year at the office of the City Treasurer in the City of Kingston.

5. For the payment of the said debt and the interest to become due thereon, there shall be raised in each year in which an instalment becomes due the specific sum set out opposite such year in the fourth column of the schedule hereto annexed by a special rate to be levied on all the rateable property in said municipality as provided by "The Act to authorize and confirm Grants by Municipal Corporations for Patriotic Purposes and the amendments thereto.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its being approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk. J. M. HUGHES, Mayor. [L. S.]

Schedule Showing the Amount to be Raised Each Year for the Payment of Principal and Interest Falling Due on the Debt Authorized by the Within By-law.

Year	Principal	Interest	Total
1918.....	$ 1,600.00	$3,600.00	$5,200.00
1919.....	1,800.00	3,504.00	5,304.00
1920.....	1,800.00	3,396.00	5,196.00
1924.....	2,300.00	2,916.00	5,216.00
1921.....	2,000.00	3,288.00	5,288.00
1922.....	2,000.00	3,168.00	5,168.00
1923.....	2,200.00	3,048.00	5,248.00
1925.....	2,400.00	2,778.00	5,178.00
1926.....	2,600.00	2,634.00	5,234.00
1927.....	2,800.00	2,478.00	5,278.00
1928.....	2,900.00	2,310.00	5,210.00
1929.....	3,100.00	2,136.00	5,236.00
1930.....	3,300.00	1,950.00	5,250.00
1931.....	3,500.00	1,752.00	5,252.00
1932.....	3,700.00	1,542.00	5,242.00
1933.....	3,900.00	1,320.00	5,220.00
1934.....	4,100.00	1,086.00	5,186.00
1935.....	4,400.00	840.00	5,240.00
1936.....	4,700.00	576.00	5,276.00
1937.....	4,900.00	294.00	5,194.00
	$60,000.00		

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. White (3) that the matter of the construction of a public dock be referred to Board of Works for report at the first regular meeting.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Wright, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 1.15 p.m.

Mayor. City Clerk.

Jan. 21st, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present: Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hewitt, Hooper, Kent, Litton, Millan, Norris, Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith, White, Wright.

MAYOR'S INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

Gentlemen:—

I welcome you as members of our City Council elected as you are to carry on the business of our Municipality. Under our present regime some new faces appear amongst the members, but those whom we meet for the first time I am sure will render excellent service.

I notice with regret the absence of Aldermen who have given their valuable time for the upbuilding of our city, Aldermen H. C. Nickle, N. C. Polson, Jr., and Dr. Boyce.

During the past year several important undertakings which were under construction have been finished, one of which was the Causeway connecting the city with the township of Pittsburg. I am sure that all classes of citizens are proud of the structure. The long expected Hydro power has at last been turned on, and it is to be hoped that the consumption of power will be sufficient to enable the Utilities Commission to fix a rate for power that manufacturers will be induced to locate in the city.

During the year the Committee that was appointed by you to act with me in securing possession of the riparian rights in the harbor in front of the City Buildings had several interviews with the representatives of the Federal Government, and, as you are all aware that the matter of securing the deed to these water lots rested on one thing being undertaken by the city, and that was that a public dock be constructed; this matter of a dock is now in the hands of the Committee of the Board of Works, and I feel satisfied that this Committee will do all in their power to carry on a work that is so much needed in this city.

The business of the city should be carried on in the same way as a private individual would carry on the work in a businesslike manner. This will be my aim throughout the year.

The personnel of the Council inspires the hope that faithfulness will be the characteristic of every member; that the year will be one of progress, and I hope that the chairman of each Committee will practice economy as has been done by the Committees during 1917.

Let us all pray that the year 1918 will see this terrible war brought to a successful end.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

National Council of Women re publishing report of Milk Inspector.

Trades and Labor Council re the distribution of coal.

Board of Works.

D. A. Vick asking permission to cut down a tree.

City Property.

Kingston Gentlemen's Driving and Matinee Club, asking for the use of the fair grounds track.

Kingston Industrial Exhibition re use of Fair Grounds four days in September.

Fire and Light.

Chief's Annual Report.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (1) that the Mayor's inaugural address be received and referred to the different Standing Committees.—Carried.

REPORTS.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 2 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:

Kingston, Jan. 17th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the nomination and election expenses be paid, and that the fee for Returning Officers for nomination will be three dollars, beginning with those held in 1918.

2. That the request of Sam Kemp for refund of license fee e not granted.

3. That the report of the Medical Health Officer be received nd filed.

4. That the request of E. M .Baker for exemption from snow hovelling tax be not granted.

5. That the communication from the Ontario Association for Blind be filed.

6. That the taxes remitted by the Court of Revision on account of vacancy, etc., be paid.

7. That the Committee named below constitute the Finance Committee of the Kingston Branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund: His Worship Mayor Hughes, Ald. Kent, Corbett, Newman, Peters, Messrs. R. Meek, W. R. Givens, J. A. Minnes, and C. A. Macpherson.

8. That on reading the report of the City Engineer re Kingston Suburban Area, this Committee is of the opinion that the $4,000 contributed by the City of Kingston has not been wisely spent, that there is a lack of scientific engineering, that the money has been spent for patching, whereas Council was led to believe it would be expended on permanent road construction and maintenance of said roads constructed, and that the spring will reveal the fact that a great part of it has been wasted; that there was a lack of system and efficiency in laying out and doing the work, thereby causing a greater expenditure than necessary; that the city is not getting value for their portion of the cost, and that the Department of Highways of this province be communicated with advising them of our opinion of the situation, and that if the present condition is not radically remedied that this Corporation respectfully asks to be permitted to withdraw from the Kingston Suburban Area Highway Commission.

9. That whereas extraordinary conditions are present, brought on by the war, municipalities and citizens being advised by the Government to cut down expenditures and to increase their efforts in greater production of foodstuffs, that this Council notify the County Council and the Suburban Road Commission that they are complying with the above sentiment and request, and that whereas the unpaved streets of the City of Kingston will not have the money expended on them that they should have, and are in a far worse condition than the roads within the suburban area, and on account of the ratepayers of the city pay-

ing at present a tax rate of 29½ mills on the dollar (which includes one mill war tax), that they will be unable to place any sum in the budget for 1918 for expenditure on suburban road area ,and that the County Council be asked to co-operate with the City Council in regard to the above, and that the city's representative on the Suburban Road Commission be requested to assist in carrying out the above wishes of the City Council.

10. That the following amounts be placed to the credit of the different Committees as temporary appropriations until the budget is struck:

Board of Works	$3,000
Fire and Light	1,500
City Property and Markets	500
Garbage	2,500
Parks	100
Contingencies and Printing	1,000
Home for Aged and Infirm (on account of grant)	500

11. That His Worship the Mayor, Alds. O'Connor and Kent be a Sinking Fund Committee with authority to purchase debentures with the monies in said fund, subject to the approval of the Committee on Finance and Accounts.

12. That the request of the Army and Navy Veterans for permission to mount the lion in Macdonald Park on a granite base, the position to be selected by the Parks Committee, be granted.

13. That the following accounts be paid :

Charles Donoghue, oats	$85.00
McKelvey & Birch, repairs at incinerator	88.04
R. Nolan, wood, incinerator	90.00

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed)
J. M. HUGHES, Mayor,
S. S. CORBETT,
J. W. LITTON,
H. W. NEWMAN.
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
N. E. O'CONNOR,
R. E. KENT,

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted, withdrawing Clause No. 8.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 3 from the Board of Works as follows:

Kingston, Jan. 16th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the chairman be authorized to make purchases of supplies up to but not exceeding one hundred dollars.

2. That in regard to the proposed wharf at the extension of Clarence and Brock streets into the harbor that a delegation consisting of the following, His Worship the Mayor, Ald. Wright and Ald. O'Connor, proceed to Ottawa to confer with the authorities for the purpose of obtaining a transfer of the property from the Dominion Government to this corporation upon which the wharf is to be built, and to make such other arrangements as may be necessary in obtaining materials, etc., to be used in construction of said wharf. That a By-law be submitted to the electors for the purpose of raising by the sale of debentures the sum of $30,000 to defray the cost of said wharf.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed)
N. E. O'CONNOR,
A. SIMMONS,
J. W. SMITH,
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
D. COUPER,
D. ALLAN BLACK,
J. W. LITTON,

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Litton (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 4 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:

Kingston, Jan. 15th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the chairman be authorized to make purchases of supplies up to but not exceeding $50.00.

2. That tenders be called for the following: 900 bushels of oats; 16 uniform suits.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed)

JOHN W. LITTON,
THOS. HEWITT,
P. B. CHOWN,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN,
W. J. B. WHITE,
D. J. MILLAN.
WM. R. CLUGSTON.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Millan (4) that the report of the Fire and Light Committee be received and adopted. —Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Corbett presented report No. 5 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:

Kingston, Jan. 21st, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the chairman be authorized to make purchases for supplies up to but not exceeding twenty dollars.

2. That By-law No. 2, Section 35, Sub-section 6, be amended by adding after the word "markets" the words "and licenses."

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed)

S. S. CORBETT,
P. B. CHOWN.
W. J. A. HOOPER,
D. J. MILLAN,
JAMES NORRIS,
R. G. ARMSTRONG,
WM. P. PETERS,

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Hooper (5) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

Garbage and Refuse.

Ald. Newman presented report No. 6 from the Committee on Garbage and Refuse as follows:

Kingston, Jan. 16th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Garbage and Refuse begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That tenders be called for the installation of a blower, fully equipped ,at the incinerator.

2. That the chairman be authorized to make purchases of supplies up to but not exceeding $50.00.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed)
H. W. NEWMAN,
THOS. HEWITT,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN,

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (6) that the report of the Committee on Garbage and Refuse be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Corbett presented By-law No. 9, 1918. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Newman in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:

BY-LAW NO. 9, 1918.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 2 of the Revised By-laws of the city of Kingston.

Passed Jan. 21st, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:

1. By-law No. 2, Section 35, Sub-section 6, is amended by adding the word "markets" the words "and licenses."

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk. J. M. HUGHES, Mayor. [L. S.]

Ald. O'Connor presented By-law No. 10, 1918. A By-law for building a public wharf and for borrowing the sum of $30,000 for that purpose. The By-law was read a first time.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Armstrong, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10 p.m.

City Clerk. Mayor

Feb. 4th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held to-day at 8 p.m., His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present: Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hewitt, Hooper, Kent, Litton, Millan, Norris, Newman, Peters, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith, White, Wright.

MINUTES.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Corbett (1) that the Minutes of last meetings be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

City of Stratford re resolution in connection with the control of expenditures of cities.

Cataraqui Chapter, I.O.D.E., re refund rental City Hall.

Great War Veterans' Association of Canada asking for exemption from taxes.

Greater Production Committee asking for $500.

Salvation Army, asking for the privilege of having a Tag Day.

Milk Inspector submitting a report.

Kingston Suburban Area Highway Commission submitting a report.

Ottawa City re resolution re conservation of food.

City Property and Markets.

Soldiers' Aid Commission re accommodation for Major Southey, representative in this city.

File.

Civic Utilities notifying Council of the death of R. H. Toye, creating a vacancy.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 7 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:

Kingston, Jan. 31st, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That H. C. Nickle be appointed Fuel Commissioner for the City of Kingston from the present date until May 1st, 1918, and that the Mayor and Fuel Commissioner appoint a clerk in connection with said office at a salary not to exceed $12.00 per week.

2. That the Finance Committee be authorized to sell the debentures during the year on the best terms available.

3. That the following accounts be paid:

Kingston, Jan. 31, 1918.

Board of Works Accounts.

Pay List ending Jan. 12th	$ 303 15
Pay List ending Jan. 28th	2,056 38
Bell Telephone Co., rent	20 50
Canadian Locomotive Co., blueprints	75
Wm. Cockburn, smithwork	34 59
Engineering Pub. Co., subscription	2 40
A. Maclean, salt	8 75
	$2,426 52

Fire and Light Accounts.

Isaac Allan, lumber	$ 16 80
Bell Telephone Co., rent	26 25
E. Chown & Son, supplies	46 60
R. Crawford, coal	60 50
John Greenwood, hay	17 22
Imperial Oil Co., coal oil	13 98
McKelvey & Birch, Ltd., supplies	2 50
H. W. Marshall, brushes	7 75
Newman & Shaw, bedding	13 50
N. C. Polson & Co., chamois	32 28

Public Utilities Commission, service	6 97
Stevenson & Hunter, supplies	48 10
S. Taggart, hay	21 15
R. Waldron, linen	29 50
D. Waller, hay	9 53
	$ 359 91

Garbage and Refuse Accounts.

Pay List ending Jan. 12th	$ 460 39
Pay List ending Jan. 29th	512 16
Bel lTelephone Co., rent	7 50
Wm. Cockburn, repairs	87
K. P. & C. Electric Ry., repairs	1 50
A. McKee, mason work	23 60
Public Utilities Commission, service	13 93
N. Timmerman, phone service	3 00
	$1,022 95

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Election.

R. W. Allen, services	$ 10 50

Industrial Schools.

Alexandra Industrial School, board	$ 48 00
Children's Aid Society ,taking boys to school	42 11
Victoria Industrial School, board	158 40
	$ 248 51

Registry Office.

British Whig Pub. Co., supplies	$ 18 75
T. McAuley, stationery	11 00
Public Utilities Commission, service	5 56
R. Uglow & Co., supplies	2 15
	$ 37 46

Contingencies.

C. P. R. Telegraph Co., message	$	81
City Registrar, registrations		2 05
G. N. W. Telegraph Co., message		35
Municipal World, subscription		1 00
John VanCoughnet, scavenger		6 50
	$	10 71

Amusement Tax.

Canadian Express Co., express on tickets	$	30
Mitchell Granby Co., amusement tax tickets		36 00
	$	36 30

Printing.

The Jackson Press, supplies	$	46 25
T. McAuley, supplies		57 34
Remington Typewriter Co., carbon paper		5 50
	$	109 09

County of Frontenac.

County of Frontenac, administration of justice	$	2,168 46

Accounts Authorized by Council, but no Funds Provided.

War Expense.

Public Utilities Commission, service	$	42 75

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed)
J. M. HUGHES, Mayor,
J. W. LITTON,
S. S. CORBETT,
R. E. KENT,
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
H. W. NEWMAN.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 8 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:

Kingston, Jan. 29th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the tender of Morris Yampolsky for 13 firemen's suits at $22.50 each, and 3 officers at $30.00 each, be accepted, being the lowest and best sample of cloth.

2. That the tender for oats be not accepted, the price being too high, and that the Chief and Ald. Millan be authorized to purchase oats on the market.

3. That new front wheels for No. 1 hose wagon be purchased and that tenders be called for six new tarpaulins.

4. That a By-law be submitted to the electors for the purpose of raising by the sale of debentures the sum of $22,000 to pay the cost of motorizing the Fire Department.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed)
J. W. LITTON,
D. J. MILLAN,
W. J. B. WHITE,
THOS. HEWITT,
P. B. CHOWN,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN,
WM. R. CLUGSTON,

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Chown (3) that the report of the Committee on Fir eand Light be received and adopted with Clauses 1 and 4 withdrawn.—Carried.

Ald. Corbett presented report No. 9 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:

Kingston, Jan. 28th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the Kingston Industrial Fair Association be granted the use of the Fair Grounds on the same conditions as last year.

2. That the Kingston Gentlemen's Driving and Matinee Club be granted the use of the track at the Fair Grounds on the same conditions as last year.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed)

S. S. CORBETT,

W. J. A. HOOPER,

P. B. CHOWN,

D. J. MILLAN,

JAS. NORRIS,

R. G. ARMSTRONG,

WM. P. PETERS,

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by lAld. Chown (4) that the report of the Committee on City Property, Markets and Licenses be received and adopted.—Carried.

Garbage and Refuse.

Ald. Newman presented report No. 10 from the Committee on Garbage and Refuse as follows:

Kinghton, Jan. 30th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Comittee on Garbage and Refuse begs leave to report and recommend as follows :

1. That the account of Leo Tryon for wood, amounting to $64.00, and W. J. Gates for wood, amounting to $85.05, be paid.

2. That the chairman be authorized to make purchases of wood from time to time on the best terms available.

3. That authority be given this committee to sell the boiler at the incinerator.

4. That the tender of McKelvey & Birch for $32.00 to do the work of installation in connection with the blower be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed)

H. W. NEWMAN.
THOS. HEWITT,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN,

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (5) that the report of the Committee on Garbage and Refuse be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. Simmons (6) that the words "by tender" be added to Clause 3.—Lost.

The original motion was then declared carried.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (7) that R. N. F. McFarlane be appointed Public Utilities Commissioner to serve the unexpired term rendered vacant by the death of R. H. Toye.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Corbett (7) that Mr. N. C. Polson, Jr., be appointed Public Utilities Commissioner to serve the unexpired term made vacant by the death of R. H Toye.

The original motion was voted on and carried on the following division:

Yeas—Mayor Hughes, Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Hooper, Hewitt ,Litton, Newman, Peters, Simmons ,N. A. Smith, Wright (11).

Nays—Ald. Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Kent, Millan, Norris, J. W. Smith, White (10).

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Anglin (8) that whereas by trial of and experience with the Daylight Saving Measure on the part of the British and other Governments by the saving of large sums of money by the less use of fuel and by the greater production of farm products due to the extra hour of day-

light, be it resolved that this Council respectfully petition the Dominion Government to pass an Act whereby the clocks of the citizens of all Canada be set one hour in advance of the Standard time now in use, such Act to take effect at as early a date in the spring of 1918 as is practicable, and further be it resolved that the City Clerk forward a copy of said motion to every city in the Dominion of Canada having a population of 15,000 or over, asking them to pass a like measure.—Lost.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Hooper (9) that the Mayor be authorized to have his expenses paid in connection with trips made on the city's business.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Armstrong (10) that a committee composed of Alds. Armstrong, Chown and the mover be appointed with a view to ascertain the possibilities of securing hard and other wood for the citizens' use, the securing government land and having the undertaking under control of the municipality in the matter of engaging labor to cut it and place it on the market for sale, this also to apply to parks and streets.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. Armstrong, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10 p.m.

Mayor. City Clerk.

Feb. 18th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present: Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Millan, Norris, Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, Smith, J. W., Smith, N. A., White.

To Adopt Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Clugston (1) that the Minutes of last meeting be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

City of Guelph re amending Statute Labor Act.

Frontenac County Council re Suburban Area appropriation.

City of Brantford re property qualification for Mayor and Aldermen.

Retail Merchants' Association re closing hours.

Board of Works.

St. Mary's on the Lake re claim for damages caused by flooding.

Committee re Obtaining Wood.

W. E. Lear re supplying wood.

File.

Hydro-Electric Power Commission re placing a switch near Montreal street on the property of the Home for the Aged.

Moved by Ald. White, seconded by Ald. Chown (2) that the matter of erecting a switch on the property of the Home for the Aged be referred to the Board of Directors of the Home with power to act.—Carried.

REPORTS.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 11 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:

Kingston, Feb. 14th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That funds be provided for the following war expenses:
Fuel Control Pay List ending Feb. 12th $14.00
Public Utilities Commission Service 31.66

2. That the application of the Great War Veterans' Association asking for exemption from taxes be not granted, as Council has no authority for doing so under the provisions of the Act.

3. That the request of the Cataraqui Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, for refund of rent for the City Hall, Jan. 26th, be granted.

4 That the resolution as passed by the City of Stratford re control of expenditures of the Board of Police Commissioners be passed by the City Council.

5. That the offer of William S. Dougherty and others, Parham, to supply the deserving needy of this city with wood be accepted, and that further arrangements be made by the Mayor, and distributed by the Poor Relief Committee.

6. That the communication re amendment Section 7 of the Assessment Act as outlined by the city of Guelph be approved.

7. That a sub-committee consisting of Alds. Kent and O'Connor confer with the Assessment Commissioner regarding equipment for his office with power to act.

8. That the Insurance on city property be adjusted by the Mayor and City Treasurer.

9. That tenders be called for printing and supplies.

10. That the following accounts be paid :

Kingston, Feb. 14th, 1918.

Board of Works Accounts.

S. Anglin & Co., lumber	$ 28 66
Botsford & Nicol, supplies	5 99
W. Cockburn, smithwork	7 58
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	4 85
Stevenson & Hunter, supplies	1 50
U. S. Asphalt Refining Co., asphalt	7 10
	$ 55 68

Garbage and Refuse Accounts.

Pay List ending Jan. 28th	$512 16
S. Anglin & Co., lumber	6 47
McKelvey & Birch, repairs	19 00
Stevenson & Hunter, hardware	4 20
G. A. Wright, repairs	3 20
	$545 03

City Property Accounts.

Pay List ending Jan. 12th	$ 49 70
Pay List ending Jan. 28th	46 91
Pay List ending Feb. 12th	45 63
Public Utilities Commission, service	61 04
Public Utilities Commission, service	67 93
Elliott Bros., repairs	6 20
	$277 51

Finance Accounts.

Printing.

The Jackson Press, pen	$ 2 75

Registry Office.

Public Utilities Commission, service	$ 7 13

Registry Office.

Children's Aid Society, board	$ 42 00

Contingencies.

J. R. C. Dobbs, repairs	$ 2 55
Mayor J. M. Hughes, expenses to Ottawa re bridge	51 00
Mrs. McCallum, rent of nuisance ground	75 00
R. W. McClelland, typewriter repairs	11 00
	$139 35

Accounts Authorized by Council, but No Funds Provided.

War Expense.

Fuel Control Pay List ending Feb. 12th	$ 14 00
Public Utilities Commission, service	31 66
	$ 45 66

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed)
J. M. HUGHES, Mayor.
J. W. LITTON,
R. E. KENT,
N. E. O'CONNOR,
S. S. CORBETT,

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (3) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 12 from the Board of Works as follows:

Kingston, Feb. 13th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That whereas the City Engineer has recommended that a number of trees in this municipality can be cut down to great advantage to other trees, to property, streets, and health of the people, that this Board be given authority to remove all trees which in the opinion of the Board and City Engineer comply with the above, that said wood be removed to the Fair Grounds in convenient lengths, and cut into cord wood and stove wood, to be used for fuel. It is estimated by the City Engineer that a thousand cords can be obtained in this manner, and that the Parks Committee be consulted regarding removal of trees from the parks.

2. That tenders be called for supplies for the year for this department, and also for 1,600 gallons of road oil, this to include materials used in laying permanent pavements.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed)
N. E. O'CONNOR,
J. W. LITTON,
D. ALLAN BLACK,
D. COUPER,
A. SIMMONS.
J. W. SMITH,

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Simmons (4) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 13 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:

Kingston, Feb. 12th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the tender of Stevenson & Hunter to furnish the department with six tarpaulins for the sum of $84.00 be accepted.

2. That the application of the firemen for increase of salary be not granted.

3. That the tender of Morris Yampolsky for 13 firemen's suits at $22.50 each, and 3 officers' at $30.00 each, be accepted, being the lowest and best sample of cloth.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed)

J. W. LITTON,
D. J. MILLAN,
T. HEWITT,
P. B. CHOWN,
WM. R. CLUGSTON,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN,
W. J. B. WHITE,

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Chown (5) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

Garbage and Refuse.

Ald. Newman presented report No. 14 from the Committee on Garbage and Refuse as follows:

1. That the boiler at the incinerator has been sold to the Davis Dry Dock Company for the sum of $600, purchaser to take the boiler from its present position, and disconnect pipes without cost to the corporation, and to pay for said boiler when

possession is given. The corporation will remove that part of the wall necessgary to remove the boiler and place the same back in position.

2. That tenders be called for repairs and painting the garbage wagons.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed)
H. W. NEWMAN,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN,
T. HEWITT,

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Anglin (6) that the report of the Committee on Garbage and Refuse be received and adopted.—Carried.

MOTIONS.

The Mayor presented a report from H. C. Nickle, Fuel Commissioner.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (7) that owing to the serious coal shortage that it is the wish of this Council that citizens put forth every effort to conserve coal, and that the merchants endeavor to do their utmost to comply with early closing regulations, and that the citizens try to arrange their shopping so as to give every assistance to merchants who may be effected by early closing.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Chown (8) that J. Wriley Smith be added to the Committee on Wood Supply.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Hewitt, seconded by Ald. Litton (9) that the Council discuss the report of the Fire Underwriters of 1917 as far as it refers to the Water Works.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. White, seconded by Ald. Armstrong (10) that the name of H. C. Nickle be added to the Kingston Branch of the Patriotic Committee.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Simmons, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10 o'clock.

Mayor. City Clerk.

March 4th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held to-day at 8 p.m., His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hooper, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Millan, Norris, Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, N. A. Smith, White.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. White, seconded by Ald. Couper (1) that the Minutes of last meeting be adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

Victory Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, asking for refund of rent for City Hall.

Public Utilities Commission asking for Thirty Thousand Dollars for waterworks pumping equipment.

Hydro Electric Railway Association asking Council to send a delegate to Toronto, Tuesday, March 12th.

G.W.V.A. asking for refund rental City Hall.

Board of Works.

Mrs. A. V. Aldridge re damage by flooding of cellar.

Robinson & Wiltshire re placing gasoline tank edge of walk, Bagot St.

File.

Public Utilities Commission re annual statement.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 15 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

1. That funds be provided for war expenses account as follows:—

J. M. Hughes, travelling expenses.....$41 50

Fuel Control Pay List, Feb. 25th 20 00

2. That the request of the Victory Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, for refund of rent of City Hall, March 8th, be granted.

3. That the account of $396.50 for marketing the debenture issue of $60,000 be paid.

4. That the following accounts be paid:—

Kingston, Feb. 28, 1918.

The following accounts are properly authorized and funds provided by By-law or Budget.

Board of Works.

Pay List to Feb. 12th	$1084 10
Pay List to Feb. 25th	1238 12
Bibby's Limited, coats	6 00
Canadian Express Co., express	2 00
J. E. Johnston	11 00
Kingston Sand and Gravel Co., sand	14 40
A. Maclean, salt	10 50
Sawyer Massey Co., plow	57 00
	$2423 12

Fire and Light.

Brunswick Balks Collender Co., supplies	$ 24 75
Canadian Northern R. Express, express charges	40
W. Grass, hay	13 20
E. P. Halligan, plumbing repairs	17 35
Jas. Laturney, repairs	60 20
T. McAuley, supplies	8 00
W. F. McBroom, oats and bran	110 00
N. C. Polson, supplies	31 30
Public Utilities, service	13 43
Stevenson & Hunter, tarpaulins	84 00
Standard Publishing Co., supplies	2 00
Jas. Sowards, coal	21 00
Wm. Walker, hay	27 75
	$ 413 38

City Property and Markets.

1. W. J. Moore & Co., repairs	$	10 10
2. Taylor & Hamilton, range boiler		41 11
	$	51 21

Garbage and Refuse.

Pay List to Feb. 12th	$	514 34
Pay List to Feb. 25th		440 78
British Whig Pub. Co., ad.		2 25
Public Utilities Commission, service		5 30
Standard Printing & Pub. Co., ad.		2 25
Taylor & Hamilton, repair		3 00
	$	967 92

Printing.

British Whig Pub. Co., supplies	$	127 20
Jackson Press, supplies		71 85
Standard Printing & Pub. Co., supplies		43 55
	$	242 60

Contingencies.

Bell Telephone Co., rent	$	39 50
Canadian Municipal Journal, subscription		10 00
City Registrar, list of Deeds		1 39
Great North Western Telephone Co., message		92
Kings Printer, book		1 00
Thos. McAuley, stamps		30 50
	$	83 31

War Expense.

Canadian National Patriotic Fund Grant	$	10000 00

The following accounts are authorized by Council but are not properly provided.

War Expenses.

J. M. Hughes, travelling expense	$	41 50
Fuel Control Pay List to Feb. 25th		20 00
	$	61 50

5. That the following tenders for printing, stationery and blank books be accepted, being the lowest:—

THE BRITISH WHIG.

Assessment Commissioner.

9000	Assessment Notices (20 lbs. Beaver Dam) as per sample, 4½" x 16¾", 6 changes, ruled	$25 00
1000	Assessment Notices, Statute Labour, as per sample 4½" x 13¾"	5 75
1500	Income Assessment Notices	6 75
500	Notices to Incorporated Co's, as per sample	2 75
500	Notices to Employers of Labour, as per sample	2 75
250	Return of Shareholders, as per sample	2 25

Police Department.

500	Police Court Reports	3 35
500	Night Patrols	4 35
500	Electric Light Reports	5 60
1000	Cab, Cart and Automobile Licenses	4 75

Market Clerk Department.

1000	Forms Public Weigh Scales	4 10

Health Department.

100	Cards, 9" x 12", printed for various diseases such as Measles, Scarlet Fever and Diptheria on different colored card boards, to be ordered in lots of 25 or more, as per sample	5 10
2000	Reports of Infectious Diseases, as per sample	17 75
500	Hospital Reports of Infectious Diseases, as per sample	3 95
2000	Notices of various kinds, relating to sanitary matters and containing not more than 100 words each, such notices to be ordered in lots of 200 or more as occasion may require. For size and form, see sample, each lot 200	2 65
100	Weekly notice forms, as per sample	2 75

Embossed Stationery.

1000	Letter Heads	6 95
500	Letter Heads	4 75
300	Letter Heads	3 85
5000	Letter Heads	26 25
1000	Letter Paper, ⅛ post, (Clerk) as per sample	4 75
1000	Envelopes, No. 7	5 10
5000	Envelopes, No. 7	18 75

500	Envelopes, No. 7	3 75
500	Envelopes, No. 11	6 25
1000	Large Envelopes, embossed	2 75

THE STANDARD PUBLISHING CO.

City Clerk.

200	Voting Slips, ½ post	2 25
1000	Resolution Forms ⅛ post, 40 pads, tag backs	2 75
100	Notices re Voters' List, ¼ cap	1 50
200	Notices re Voters' List, ¼ cap	2 00
25	Notices re Inaugural Meeting, ½ post, linen	3 50
200	Printing Notice Meetings on Private Post Cards	1 50
500	Printing Notice Meetings on Private Post Cards	2 25
1000	Information and Complaint Forms	4 50
500	Warrant in First Instance Forms	4 25
500	Information for Search Warrants	4 25
500	Search Warrant Forms	4 25
500	Summary Conviction Forms	4 25
500	Assault Forms	4 25
500	Conviction Forms	4 25
500	Declaration Forms	4 25
500	Return of Conviction Forms	4 25
150	Committee Cards, as per sample	6 00
1000	Summons to Witness	3 50
1000	Summons to Defendant	4 50

City Auditor.

2000	Warrants, City of Kingston	9 00
1000	Warrants, House of Refuge	5 00
50	Copies Auditor's Report, 60 lb. D.D. No. 1 Book Paper (Cover 20 x 25, 50 lb. Antique) set in eight solid, per page (Penalty Clause—Report to be completed within five weeks after receipt of copy, or subject to a penalty of $5.00 per week thereafter).	1 35

City Treasurer.

1500	Statute Labor Demands, ⅛ perforated	4 75
8000	Tax Demands, perforated, printed two colors, with change for Wards and Business Tax, as per sample	50 00

1000	Notices Tax Arrears, perforated	9	00
700	Final Notices, perforated	4	00
500	Dog Tax Notices, perforated	4	00
	All to be printed on 16 lb. Azure Superfine Linen Record, perforated and with coupons attached, as per sample.		
75	Budgets, 25 for Finance in proof form and 50 corrected and printed for Council, as per sample	7	50
3000	Envelopes, printed, No. 8, Treasurer's Office	10	50
200	Tax Warrants as per sample	3	00
2000	Final Notice Slips (Red)	6	00
1000	Receipt Forms	3	00
250	Information Forms (Statute Labor) as per sample	2	25
400	Excavation Deposit Receipts in 2 books	3	00
500	Tobacco Licenses with carbon copy, bound in 5 bks.	3	50
1000	Inspector's reports with carbon, bound in 10 books	5	50

HANSON, CROZIER & EDGAR.

250	Copies of Voters' Lists, 100 bound in Wards without covers, 150 complete, to be completed between October 7th and November 1st. Paper, 60 lb. D.D. No. 1 book, Cover 20 x 25, 50 lb. Antique, per page	1	35

THE JACKSON PRESS.

Minutes of Council.

100	Copies Minutes of Council to be set in 10 point type—1-16 Mo., D.D., 80 lb. No. 1 Book Paper stitched, 50 untrimmed and 50 trimmed, per page	1	35
30	Copies of Title Page and Index, per page	1	45
100	Copies of Documents printed in style of Minutes, per page	1	35

Election Forms.

150	Nomination Papers, Aldermen	2	15
50	Nomination Papers, Trustee	2	15
30	Reports of R. O. Aldermen, ½ cap, endorsed	3	90
30	Reports of R. O. Trustees, ½ cap, endorsed	2	75

10	Poll Books (5 sheets cap rule and printed, and 1 sheet printed forms) tag manilla covers, printed. Each book to be completed with number of polling Sub-Division and name of Ward (see sample) ...	11 75
25	Poll Books as above	15 75
6250	Ballots, Mayor—25 books of 250 each, complete with number of Sub-division and name of Ward, bound in tag manilla, ballots to be perforated, stubs numbered and books labelled	16 75
6250	Ballots, Aldermen:—	
	1500 Ballots, 6 books, Syd., Ont., St. Law. 250 each as above	5 50
	2000 Ballots, 8 books, Cat., Vict. 250 each as above	5 90
	1250 Ballots, 5 books, Front. 250 each as above..	4 75
	1500 Ballots, 6 books, Rid. 250 each as above	5 90
30	Ballot Paper Accounts	2 25
30	Statements D. R. O.	2 25
30	Notes of Objections to Ballot Papers	2 25
30	Statements of Voters whose votes were marked by D.R.O.	3 75
100	Declarations of inability to read	2 90
75	Corrupt Practices	4 45
75	Guidance of Voters (Aldermen)	4 45
75	Guidance of Voters (By-laws)	4 45
175	Envelopes, A. B, C, D, E, F, G (Mayor).....	2 95
175	Envelopes, A, B, C, D, E, F, G (Aldermen).....	2 95
175	Envelopes, A, B, C, D, E, F, G (By-laws).....	2 95
100	Certificates Municipal Clerk to Agent or Poll Clerk to Vote elsewhere	2 35
30	Statement of D.R.O. for City Clerk	2 15

City Engineer.

500	Sheets Building Specifications, as per sample	8 00
500	Building Permits, Manilla tag paper, as per sample	6 00
500	Plumbing Permits, as per sample	6 00

T. McAULEY.

Blank Books.

7	Books, Assessment Roll, cloth covered, as per sample in the City Clerk's Office, each	3 00

11	Books, Assessment Roll, Mill Board, as per simple in the Assessment Commissioner's Office	2 75
7	Books, Collector's Roll, cloth covered, as per sample in the City Clerk's Office, each	3 00
2	Plumbing Permit Books, as per sample in Engineer's Office	10 00
3	Collection Books, Byron-Weston, 18 lbs., 352 pages each, 1919-1920-1921 (Bind and Printing as per sample	5 00
1	Local Improvement Roll, sample Assessor's office	7 00
1	Register, Births (binding only)	2 00
1	Register, Deaths (binding only)	2 00
1	Register, Marriages (binding only)	2 00

Tender for Stationery.

Paper.

1000	Sheets Onion Skin Paper (letter size)	2 50
1000	Sheets Onion Skin Paper (foolscap size)	3 00
1000	Sheets Copying Paper, (Letter Size)	2 00
1000	Sheets Paper (cap size) Glasgow Bond	4 00
1	Box Typewriter Paper (Glasgow Bond)	2 00
1	Box Faerie Queen Carbon Paper	3 00
1	Box Carter's Gossamer Carbon Paper	3 00
1	Box Maple Leaf Carbon Paper	3 00
½	Ream Double Account Paper	2 00
½	Ream Foolscapp Paper	2 00
2	Reams Blue Foolscap Paper (ruled)	8 00
1	Ream Foolscap Paper, ruled	4 00
1	Quire Blotting Paper, extra heavy	75
1000	Sheets Legal Cap	6 00

Pencils.

3	Dozen lead pencils, Eagle Pencil, 30c. doz.	90
1	Dozen red and blue lead pencils (Faber)	1 00
1	Dozen Koh-I-Noor lead pencils	1 75
1	Dozen Indelible lead pencils	1 00

Pens and Penholders.

1	Gross, 292 Jos. Gillett's Pens	75
1	Waterman Pen	2 50
2	Stilto Pens (Beacon)	4 00
1	Box Sprott's Federation No. 2 Pens	75
1	Dozen Penhandles, 379 Pneumatic American Pencil Co.	60

Ink.

3	Quarts Carter's Ink (black)	2 70
1	Quart Carter's Ink (red)	1 75
2	Quart Bottles Carter's Black Writing Ink	1 80
1	Pint Waterman's Fountain Pen Ink	1 00
1	Quart Fountain Pen Ink (Waterman's)	1 50
1	Small bottle Carter's (blue or violet) Ink	10

Envelopes.

5000	Pay Envelopes, open at end, Manilla coin No. 4XX	1 50

Note Books.

½	Dozen Leather covered Memo Books, oblong	2 40
3	Dozen Scribbling Pads, 3″ x 6″	1 80
9	Dozen Scribbling Pads, 6″ x 9″	9 00
1	Dozen Reporter's Note Books, each	05

Mucilage.

1	Quart Library Photo Paste	75
1	Small Jar Carter's Photo library paste	25
1	Small Jar Cico Liquid Paste	25

Paper Fasteners.

½	Dozen boxes Weiss Paper Fasteners	90
2	Boxes Weiss Clips, 100 in box, Fasteners	30

Rubber Bands.

6	Gross Rubber Bands, ⅛ inch, No. 32, per gross	90
6	Dozen boxes Rubber Bands, No. 12, per box 25c	18 00
6	Dozen boxes Rubber Bands, ½ inch, per box	60
1	Box Rubber Bands, assorted lengths	1 25

Sundries.

4	Sponges for finger bowls	60
2	Paragon Ink sets, No. 510 (Frank A. Weeks Mfg. Co., N.Y.)	3 00
3	Dozen Drawing Pins, ¾″ diameter, Dome heads	75
1	Roll Tracing Linen, "Excelsior" 36″ wide	10 00
2	Dozen 112 E. Faber Rubber Erasers	1 20
1	Ink Eraser	10
1	Gross Seals, small, per box	1 50
6	Boxes large Seals, per box	2 40
1	Rubber Dating Stamp	35

1 Knife Eraser	60
1 Dozen Pyramid Pins	1 25
1 Doz. Typewriter Ribbons (Underwood) 12 coupons	9 00
1 Long Ruler	50

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. M. HUGHES, Mayor.
H. W. NEWMAN,
J. W. LITTON,
S. S. CORBETT,
R. E. KENT,
N. E. O'CONNOR.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 16 from the Board of Works as follows:—

1. That on the recommendation of the City Solicitor the sum of $99.00 be paid to James Richardson & Sons as settlement of the dispute regarding a drain on William Street in which James Richardson & Sons claim said drain was blocked up by the retaining wall built by the City.

2. That whereas Howard S. Dick has left for the front, that his absence from the City Engineer's office be considered temporary and that he be given his position on his return.

3. That tenders be called for a horse and rig for the Department.

4. That the following proposal be made to the Patterson Manufacturing Co. for superior road oil:—

That the Patterson Manufacturing Co. Ltd., Montreal, ship to the Corporation of the City of Kingston via C.P.R., when advised, 16,000 gallons superior road oil at 12¾c. per gallon (two tank cars) F.O.B. Montreal; it being understood that the Corporation of the City of Kingston has the privilege of cancelling all or one half of the above if not required up to August 1st, 1918.

5. That the following tenders be accepted:—

Sewer Pipe, McKelvey & Birch.

Cement, Frontenac Lumber and Coal Co. at $2.45 per barrel, exclusive of package, and at present freight rates.

Sand, Kingston Sand and Gravel Co. at $1.60 per cubic yd.

6. That whereas tenders for asphalt, sand for asphalt and all other materials entering into the formation of an asphalt pavement are exceedingly high and would make the cost of a payment $1.00 or more higher than last year, it is the opinion of this Board that a pavement constructed this year would make the cost excessive and would not be fair to the rate-payers to charge them for a pavement at these advanced prices, and that therefore these tenders be not accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) N. E. O'CONNOR, Chairman.
A. SIMMONS,
J. W. LITTON,
D. COUPER,
D. ALLAN BLACK.

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Litton (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted. —Carried.

City Property.

Ald. Corbett presented report No. 17 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:—

1. That Taylor & Mamilton be paid $30.00 for installing a 30 gallon tank in the house owned by the City at the Fair Grounds.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) S. S. CORBETT, Chairman.
P. B. CHOWN,
W. J. A. HOOPER,
D. J. MILLAN,
JAMES NORRIS,
W. P. PETERS.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Hooper (4) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

Garbage and Refuse.

Ald. Newman presented report No. 18 from the Committee on Garbage and Refuse as follows:—

1. That the account of Savage & Co. for one pane of glass accidentally broken by a Collector and amounting to $1.25 be paid.

2. That the tender of W. Gilmour to repair and paint the garbage wagons according to specifications be accepted, the work to be approved by the Inspector.

3. That the tender of Burke and Graham for installing a 5 H.P. motor at the incinerator amounting to $31.50 be accepted.

4. That a 5 H.P. motor for incinerator has been purchased from Thompson Electric Mfg. Co., Montreal, at a cost of $125 plus transportation charges of $3.50.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) H. W. NEWMAN, Chairman.
T. HEWITT,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (5) that the report of the Committee on Garbage and Refuse be received and adopted.—Carried.

Civic Budget.

Ald. Kent presented the Civic Budget as follows:—

CIVIC BUDGET, 1918.

Committee Room, City Hall,

Kingston, February 28th, 1918.

The Committee on Finance and Accounts, in submitting the estimates for the year 1918, beg leave to report as follows:

The Bonded debt of the City to 31st December, 1917, is $1,733,812.33, made up as follows:

Water Works		$ 147,812 33
Light Works		497,701 94
SCHOOLS—		
Public	$ 118,945 99	
High	63,149 50	
		182,095 47
LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS—		
Corporation's Portion	$ 264,426 53	
Owner's Portion	240,762 07	
		505,188 60
General Purposes		401,676 32
		$1,733,812 33

The amount of Sinking Funds is $225,494.39, and of this amount $191,433.13 is invested in Government and Municipal Debentures and $34,061.26 is on special deposit in the Bank of British North America.

The amount to be levied for the Sinking Funds this year is $41,721.53, the parties specially benefited paying $19,147.83 and the City generally paying $22,573.70.

Increased approportions have to be provided for the Hospitals and for the Board of Education this year but owing to the fact that there was a surplus of $1,977.50 carried forward from the year 1917 as compared with a deficiency of $12,130.70 from the preceding year and also in consequence of a slight increase in the anticipated ordinary revenue, your Committee have been able to maintain the present rate of taxation while allowing the various spending Committees amounts equal to and in some cases greater than those of last year.

Your Committee recommend that a rate of 18.43 mills for General Purposes and 9.07 mills for Educational purposes making in all 27½ mills on the dollar be placed on this year's ordinary Assessment, and also that a rate of 1 mill on the dollar for the collection and disposal of Garbage be imposed on the assessment liable therefor.

J. M. HUGHES, Mayor.

N. E. O'CONNOR	G. C. WRIGHT
H. W. NEWMAN	J. W. LITTON
S. S. CORBETT	R. E. KENT

Statement of Floating Liabilities as on 31st December, 1917, and Assets applicable against such Liabilities.

LIABILITIES.

Debentures and Interest due 31 December, 1917	$64,533 12
Local Improvement Collections	2,479 35
Accounts Payable	5,342 41
Trust Funds	1,900 00
	$74,254 88
Balance	1,977 50
	$76,232 38

ASSETS.

Cash	$16,922 63
Taxes, 1917	1,500 00
Accounts Receivable	326 91
Stock Accounts	4,704 73
Local Improvement Works, etc.	28,483 75
War Expenses	24,294 63
Total	$76,232 38

ESTIMATED REVENUE, 1918

RENTS—		
Bank	$ 650 00	
City Hall	2,000 00	
Market Tolls	900 00	
Portion of Streets	1 75	
		3,551 75
LICENSES—		
Auctioneers	120 00	
Cabs and Livery Stables	700 00	
Carters	600 00	
Second Hand Stores	300 00	
Shows	375 00	
Fresh Meat	80 00	
Victuallers	250 00	
Milk Venders	200 00	
Billiards	1,000 00	
Laundries	450 00	

Hawkers	50 00	
Cigarettes	1,100 00	
Tobacco	80 00	
Bill Posters	10 00	
		$ 5,315 00
Railway Tax		100 00
Fines and Fees		3,000 00
Non-resident Land Tax		50 00
Interest on Taxes		800 00
Surplus, 1917		1,977 50
Total revenue from sources other than taxation		$14,794 25

TAXES, 1918—

Assessment, $13,463,300 @ 27½ mills on $	$370,240 75	
Less remissions and uncollectable	27,000 00	
	$343,240 75	
Statute Labor Tax	2,800 00	
Dog Tax	1,850 00	
Loval Improvement Tax	26,700 00	
Street Watering	2,500 00	
Street Oiling	2,000 00	
Sewer Rent	500 00	
		379,590 75

SPECIAL TAX—

Ont. Gov. War Tax, 1 mill on $13,457,000	$13,457 00	
Garbage Collection, 1 mill on $15,566,000	15,566 00	
		29,023 00
Total Revenue		$423,408 00

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE, 1918.

	Estimated Expenditure 1918	Actual 1917
UNCONTROLLABLE—		
Debentures and Sinking fund	$100,717 42	
Interest	85,876 85	
	$186,594 27	

			Estimated Expenditure 1918	Actual 1917
Less				
Amounts charged as follows, viz.:				
Light Department	$36,389 30			
Water Department	18,777 40			
Schools	15,469 96			
		70,636 66		
			115,957 61	115,146 93
ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE—				
Portion of Expenses of Court House, Gaol, etc.			5,333 46	5,516 00
POLICE DEPARTMENT—				
Police Magistrate		1,400 00		
Chief Constable		1,200 00		
Police Constables		12,500 00		
Clothing Allowance		900 00		
Cab and Cart Hire		100 00		
Fuel and Light		350 00		
Sundries		350 00		
			16,800 00	
EDUCATION—				
Public Schools Grant 1918	$69,656 00			
Debentures and Interest	9,765 86			
		$79,421 86		
Collegiate Grant 1918	22,060 00			
Debentures and Interest	5,704 10			
		27,764 10		
Separate School's Grant 1918	14,864 50			
			122,050 46	
Suburban Arear			4,000 00	
Ontario Government War Tax			13,457 00	
Total Uncontrollable Expenses			277,598 53	
CONTROLLABLE—				
Interest			4,900 00	4,514 00
Election Expenses			150 00	457 45
Insurance			470 00	469 10
Printing and Stationery			2,000 00	2,200 00
Refund of Taxes			400 00	389 00
Industries Committee			50 00	4 50

		Estimated Expenditure 1918	Actual 1917
BOARD OF HEALTH—			
Health Officer	700 00		
Sanitary Inspector	150 00		
Milk Inspector	800 00		
Provisincial Inspector	200 00		
Nuisance Ground, rent	300 00		
Incidentals	400 00		
		2,550 00	1,895 54
COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF GARBAGE—			
N. Timmerman	800 00		
T. M. Burns	800 00		
Telephones	37 50		
Debentures and Interest	883 10		
Wood	650 00		
Repairs and Supplies	450 00		
Pay Lists	11,945 40		
		15,566 00	
PARKS—			
Caretaker	650 00		
Appropriation	2,600 00		
		3,250 00	3,159 00
CITY PROPERTY—			
Heat and Light	1,700 00		
Market Clerk	650 00		
Cleaning Markets	400 00		
Appropriation	600 00		
		3,350 00	2,850 00
BOARD OF WORKS—			
Foreman of Streets	1,100 00		
Appropriation	19,900 00		
		21,000 00	
Street Watering		4,500 00	4,400 00
Street Oiling		3,000 00	2,940 00
FIRE DEPARTMENT—			
Wages	14,426 00		
Water	750 00		
Appropriation	7,824 00		
		23,000 00	
Street Lighting		20,000 00	21,483 05

		Estimated Expenditure 1918	Actual 1917
SALARIES—			
Allowance to Mayor	800 00		
City Clerk	1,600 00		
Stenographer	750 00		
City Treasurer	1,700 00		
Stenographer	600 00		
Collector	1,400 00		
City Engineer	1,600 00		
City Solicitor	1,500 00		
City Assessor	1,600 00		
Assistant Assessor	1,000 00		
Clerical Assistance	100 00		
Auditor	1,400 00		
Stenographer	500 00		
Messenger	800 00		
Court of Revision	150 00		
	15,500 00		
Less paid by Kingston Utilities Commission	2,000 00		
		13,500 00	12,442 0
CHARITIES, ETC.—			
House of Refuge	1,000 00		
House of Providence	100 00		
General Hospital	9,000 00		
Hotel Dieu Hospital	5,000 00		
Orphans' Home	500 00		
Children's Aid Society	300 00		
Home for Friendless Women and Children	500 00		
St. Vincent de Paul Society	60 00		
Poor Relief Society	175 00		
Victorian Order of Nurses	150 00		
General Hospital, Contagious Ward	6,000 00		
Maintenance of Neglected Children	1,100 00		
Pauper Passes	50 00		
		23,935 00	
CONTINGENCIES—			
Public Library	1,500 00		
Teachers' Institute	25 00		

		Estimated Expenditure 1918	Actual 1917
Stamps and Telegrams	225 00		
Reporter's Fees	100 00		
Selection of Jurors	60 00		
Registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths	271 20		
Revision of Voters' Lists	287 55		
City Registry Office	300 00		
Telephones	120 00		
Delivering Tax Demands	60 00		
Law Expenses	200 00		
Bathing House	300 00		
Greater Production	300 00		
Deputations	150 00		
Incidentals	289 72		
		4,188 47	
Total Controllable Expenditure		145,809 47	
Total Uncontrollable Expenditure		277,598 53	
		$423,408, 00	

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (6) that the Civic Budget for 1918 be received and adopted as printed. —Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Kent presented By-law No. 11, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the thirty-first rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole. Ald. Litton in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 11, 1918.

A By-law to levy a tax of 27½ mills on the dollar upon the assessed value of the rateable property in the City of Kingston for the lawful purpose of the Municipality for the year 1918.

Passed, March 4, 1918.

WHEREAS for the year 1918 there are required for the

lawful purposes of the Municipality of the City of Kingston, as hereinafter specified the following named sums of money, estimated by and to the Council of the said Municipality, to be rised by the levy of the several rates hereinafter mentioned, respectively amounting to the rate of 27½ mills on the dollar upon the assessed value of the rateable property in the said Municipality, and which in the revised and adopted assessment rolls and the supplementary rolls for the year 1918 amounts to the sum of $13,463,300, current money of Canada, which rate of 27½ mills on the dollar is in respect of the rateable property in the said Municipality liable to be assessed for the Roman Catholic Separate School rate, inclusive of the rate hereinafter directed to be levied upon the rateable property liable thereto, and which rate of 27½ on the dollar also includes the rate for the sum required for the Public School purposes for said year, to be levied on the property liable thereto as hereinafter provided.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston.

1. That the sum of $23,084.00 required to pay the annual interest and the payment of the principal on the debentures issued under the provisions of "The City of Kingston, Debt Arrangement Act, 1887," shall be raised by the levy of a rate, "The Debt Arrangement Loan Rate" of 1 71/100 mills on the dollar upon the whole assessed value of all the rateable property in said Municipality.

2. The sum of $35,775.06 required to pay the annual interest on and the annual payment on account of the loan and bonus debentures and not provided for under Section 1 of this By-law shall be raised by the levy of a rate of 2 66/100 mills on the dollar upon the whole assessed value of all the rateable property in the said Municipality.

3 The sum of $27,764.10 required for High School purposes as estimated to the said Council by the Board of Education, and to pay the annual interest on and the annual payment on account of High School debentures of the said Municipality shall be levied by a rate of 2 7/100 mills on the dollar upon the whole of the assessed value of all the rateable property in the said Municipality as aforesaid.

4. The sum of $69,656.00 required for Public School purposes of the said Municipality as estimated to the said Council by the Board of Education of the said Municipality shall be

raised by the levy of a rate of 6 14/100 mills on the dollar upon the assessed value of the rateable property in the said Municipality assessable and liable to be raised for a Public School rate, said assessed value being $11,389,800.

5. The sum of $9,756.86 required to pay the annual interest on and the annual payment on account of the Public School Debentures of the said Municipality, shall be raised by a levy of a rate of 86/100 mills on the dollar upon the said assessed value of the rateable property in said Municipality assessable and liable to be raised for a Public School rate, said assessed value being $11,339,800 s aforesaid.

6. There shall also be levied on the rateable property in the said Municipality liable thereto, the assessed value of which amounts to $2,123,500 a rate of 7 mills on the dollar imposed on the said property by the Board of Trustees of the Roman Catholic Separate School of the said Municipality for the purposes of the said Separate Schools for the currnt year, and the said last mentioned rate shall be levied and collected by the collector appointed to collect the Municipal rates and taxes of the said Municipality at the time and as provided by law.

7. The sum of $30,337.31 required to pay the annual interest on and provide the annual sum required for the sinking fund for the debentures of the said Municipality, issued for the purpose of raising loans for the amount of the cost of the several local improvement works in the said Municipality to be borne and paid by the said Municipality at large shall be raised by the levy of a rate of 2 25/100 mills on the dollar upon the whole of the said assessed value of all the rateable property in said Municipality as aforesaid.

8. The sum of $159,001.57 required for the general purposes and expenditure of the said Municipality for the current year shall be raised by the levy of a rate of 11 81/100 mills on the dollar upon the whole of the said assessed value of all the rateable property in the said Municipality as aforesaid.

9. The said several rates of 1 71/100, 2 66/100, 2 07/100, 2 25/100, and 11 81/100 mills on the dollar to be levied upon the whole of the assessed value of the rateable property in the said Municipality and the said several rates of 6 14/100 and 86/100 mills on the dollar to be levied upon the said assessed value of all the property in the said Municipality assessable and liable to be rated for a Public School rate and the said rate of 7 mills on the dollar to be levied on the assessed

value of all the property in said Municipality assessable and liable to be rated for the said Roman Catholic Separate School rate (together amounting to 27½ mills on the dollar upon the assessed value of the property upon and in respect of which the said several rates are to be levied respectively) shall be levied and collected at one and the same time as providd by lw by the collector appointed t ocollect the municipal rates and taxes of the said Municipality.

10. The City Clerk shall prepare and deliver to the said Collector the Collector's Rolls of the said Municipality for the said year, and prepared according to law on or before the first day of May, 1918.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk. J. M. HUGHES, Mayor [L.S.]

Ald Newman presented By-law No. 12, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Kent in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 12, 1918.

A By-law to levy a tax of one (1) mill on the dollar upon the assessed value of the land in the Municipality of the City of Kingston for the purpose of defraying the cost of the collection, removal and disposal of garbage and other refuse throughout the whole Municipality.

Passed, March 4th, 1918.

WHEREAS By-law No. 42, 1915 (a "By-law to provide for the collection, removal and disposal of garbage and other refuse was passed by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, September 15th, 1915.")

AN WHEREAS Section 19 of said By-law provides as follows:—

"19. The expense of the collection, removal and disposal by the Corporation of said garbage and other refuse throughout the whole Municipality shall be borne by the owners and occupants of the land therein, and an annual special rate shall

be imposed upon such land according to its assessable value, sufficient to defray the expense of such collection, removal and disposal and no land within the Municipality shall be exempt from the said annual special rate, anything in general or special Act or any By-law to the contrary notwithstanding. The said annual special rate shall be placed upon the Collector's Roll during the year in which the same is to be collected, and shall be collected in like manner and at the same time as all other Municipal taxes."

AND WHEREAS it will require an annual special rate of one mill on the dollar on the assessed value of the land within the Municipality of the City of Kingston to defray the expense of the collection, removal and disposal by the Corporation of garbage and other refuse throughout the whole Municipality.

AND WHEREAS the assessed value of said land as stated in the revised and adopted assessment roll of the said Municipality for the year 1918 amounts to $15,566,000.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. The sum of $15,566.00 required to defray the expense of the collection, removal and disposal by the Corporation of garbage and other refuse throughout the whole Municipality of the City of Kingston shall be raised by the levy of a special rate: "The Garbage, etc., rate" of one (1) mill on the dollar upon the whole assessed value of the land within the said Municipality which rate shall be in addition to all other rates for which the said land is, and shall be, liable.

2. The City Clerk shall place upon the Collector's Roll opposite the several names of the persons assessable the amounts ssessable against the said land in respect of such special rate.

3. The said amounts shall be payable in each year to the Collector of the municipal taxes, of the City of Kingston, who is hereby authorized to collect the said amounts at the same time, in the same manner, and with the like remedies as ordinary taxes upon real estate are collectable and under the provisions of the Assessment Act.

4. That the amounts collected from the said rate shall be expended in defraying the expense of the collection, removal and disposal by the Corporation of said garbage and other refuse and not otherwise.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk. J. M. HUGHES, Mayor [L.S.]

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Peters (7) that the City Treasurer be authorized to pay grants and salaries when due as provided for in the Budget.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Simmons that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 8.30 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

March 18th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Millan, Norris, Newman, O'Connor, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith, White.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Newman (1) that Ald. Kent take the chair in the absence of the Mayor.—Carried.

To Adopt Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Clugston (2) that the Minutes of last meeting as printed be adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

London, Ont., re control of all Municipal Government activities.

London, Ont., re amendment to the present Act with respect to the maintenance of Suburban roads.

Ottawa, Ont., re amendment Municipal Act re weighing of coal.

City Solicitor, re City's liability in letting premises which are out of repair.

Public Utilities Commission.

Corresponding Secretary Kingston Local Branch, National Council of Women, protesting against the action of Public Utilities Commission pumping shore water without giving notice.

Police Commissioners.

Kingston Local Branch National Council of Women re appointing woman patrol.

File.

Kingston Local Branch National Council of Women re Dr. Cullis' lecture.

REPORTS.

Ald. Corbett presented report No. 19 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

1. That the accounts in connection with the Fuel Commissioner's Office, amounting to $88.47 be paid.

2. That this Council approves of the petition of the City of Ottawa to have the Municipal Act amended regarding the weighing of coal.

3. That this Council endorses the petition of the City of London for the amendment of the Act with respect to the construction and maintenance of suburban roads.

4. That the request of the G.W.V.A. for refund of rental of City Hall be not granted.

5. That the following accounts be paid:—

Kingston, Ont., March 14, 1918.

The following accounts are properly authorized and funds provided by By-law or Budget.

Board of Works.

Botsford & Nicol, supplies	$	4 35
British Whig Pub. Co., notice		1 00
W. Cockburn, smithwork		10 83
Great North Western Tel. Co., message		56
Kingston Sand and Gravel Co., sand		52 80
A. Maclean, salt		8 75
Thos. McAuley, supplies		2 80
Standard Printing & Pub. Co., ads.		70 75
Stevenson & Hunter, supplies		70
	$	152 54

Fire and Light.

J. S. Armstrong, oats	$	79 00
J. S. Armstrong, oats		78 50

British Whig Pub. Co., adv.	2 25
E. Chown & Son, supplies	18 00
R. Crawford, coal	92 00
M. J. Dolan, repairs	14 65
Frontenac Lumber & Coal Co., coal	11 00
Grand Trunk Ry., freight	1 44
F. Hogan, straw	41 64
Imperial Steam Laundry, laundry	7 28
Lockett Shoe Store, rubber boots	6 50
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	2 22
Northern Electric Co., wire	26 49
J. W. Oldfin & Co., supplies	10 95
Standard Printing & Pub. Co., adv.	2 25
J. J. Taugher, horseshoeing	5 99
Wm. Walker, hay	45 90
M. L. Wiggins, oats	16 50
	$ 462 04

Garbage

Pay list ending March 12th	$ 516 38
Canadian Express Co., express	3 50
R. Crawford, coal	16 50
Great North Western Tel. Co., message	26
Public Utilities Commission, service	2 30
Stevenson & Hunter, supplies	2 48
	$ 541 41

Finance.

Printing.

Canadian Northern Express Co., express	$ 55

Contingencies.

Great North Western Tel. Co., message	86
G. S. Kirkpatrick, Indemnity Premiums	60 40

Assessment Tax.

Canadian Express Co., express	30
B. P. Rogers, tickets	36 00
B. P. Rogers, tickets	18 00
	$ 116 11

The following accounts have been authorized by Council but funds are not properly provided.

War Expenses.

Overseas Pay List for February	$ 109 48
Public Utilities Commission	16 97
	$ 126 45

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Acting Chairman.
H. W. NEWMAN,
J. W. LITTON,
N. E. O'CONNOR.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Litton (3) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 20 from the Board of Works as follows:—

1. That the tender of Finkle & Co. to supply a horse and rig to the Department at $1.45 per day be accepted.

2. That the tender of McKelvey & Birch to furnish the Department with nails be accepted.

3. That the tender of Anglin & Co. to supply the Department with lumber be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) N. E. O'CONNOR, Chairman.
J. W. SMITH,
D. COUPER,
D. ALLAN BLACK.
J. W. LITTON.

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Smith (4) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 21 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

1. That the account for street lighting be paid monthly at the rate of one-twelfth of $20,000, the amount placed in the Budget.

2. That five fire alarm boxes be purchased from the Northern Electric Company at an estimated cost of $85.00 each F.O.B. Montreal, and placed at the following places:—

Near the Public School on Wellington St.
Union and Division Sts.
Division and Princess Sts.
York and Barrie Sts.
Brock and Bagot Sts.

3. That tenders be called for 500 ft. of cotton, rubber lined fire hose, coupled; six sets of heavy expansion ring couplings, complete with rings and gaskets; 4 modern water proof coats; 12 heavy souwesters; 80 ft. of ¾ inch heavy corrugated hose coupled.

4. That the City Engineer prepare specifications and that tenders be called for the following works:—

Concrete floor with necessary drainage in the shed at No. 2 Station.

Concrete road and necessary drainage in laneway on the west side of No. 2 Station.

New cornice and eave troughing on the east side of No. 1 Station.

Re-pointing of walls, where necessary, at both Stations.

Re-coating of metal roof at No. 1 Station with water proof coating.

5. That the following be the salaries of the firemen after April first next:—

Chief Fire Department	$1600 00	
Captains	2 80	per day
Fireman, 1st year	2 20	per day
Fireman, 2nd year	2 30	per day
Fireman, 3rd year	2 40	per day
Fireman, 4th year	2 50	per day

Engineer, same rating as firemen in same year of service, and if he will also perform the duties of an active fireman, if capable of doing so, 15c. per day extra.

Stable man, 10c. per day additional above his yearly rating.

6. That whereas the team of horses at present attached to the steamer is unfit for further fire service, that the Chairman and Veterinary be authorized to dispose of this team, and replace them by another.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. W. LITTON, Chairman.
D. J. MILLAN,
T. HEWITT,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN,
P. B. CHOWN,
W. R. CLUGSTON.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Chown (5) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted, Clauses 1 and 5 being withdrawn.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Corbett presented report No. 22 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:—

1. That the Council petition the Ontario Legislature to amend the Municipal Act so as to make the maximum tax for restaurants to be $50.00.

2. That when City licenses are renewed or new ones being given that the licensee be required to give an undertaking that he will comply with the regulations which may be laid down from time to time by the Fuel Commissioner.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) S. S. CORBETT, Chairman.
P. B. CHOWN,
R. G. ARMSTRONG,
D. J. MILLAN,
JAMES NORRIS.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Chown (6) that the report of the Committee on City Property, Markets and Licenses be received and adopted.—Carried.

Parks.

Ald. Armstrong presented report No. 23 from the Committee on Parks as follows:—

1. That the Chairman and Superintendent be authorized to purchase the shrubs, trees, plants, etc., for the year 1918.

2. That the Chairman be allowed to make purchase up to Sixty Dollars, and also be allowed to pass for payment of accounts without calling the Committee together.

3. That the resignation of Superintendent William H. Phillips be accepted, and that in consideration of his long and valuable services of twenty-four years at a small salary that he be paid a gratuity amounting to one year's salary, viz. $650.00, and that Finance Committee provide the funds.

4. That Arthur W. Phillips be appointed Superintendent of Parks at a salary of $800.00 per year, and that the difference between this amount and the salary received by his father will be paid out of the appropriation of Parks Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Chairman.
W. R. CLUGSTON,
J. W. SMITH,
NORMAN SMITH,
W. J. B. WHITE.

Moved by Ald. Armstrong, seconded by Ald. Clugston (7) that the report of the Committee on Parks be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Millan (8) that all the words after "$650.00" in Clause 3 be struck out, and the following be added, "and that funds for the same be provided out of the appropriation of Parks."—Lost.

The original motion was then declared carried.

Garbage and Refuse.

Ald. Newman presented report No. 24 from the Committee on Garbage and Refuse as follows:—

1. That the boiler has been removed from the incinerator, and the purchase price, viz. $600.00 has been paid.

2. That four grates be purchased from the Jencks Manufacturing Co. at $2.25 each F.O.B. St. Catharines.

3. That the account of McKelvey & Birch for labour and material connecting blower pipes, amounting to $32.00 be paid.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) H. W. NEWMAN, Chairman.
CHAS. S. ANGLIN,
T. HEWITT.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Anglin (9) that the report of the Committee on Garbage and Refuse be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. O'Connor presented By-law No. 13, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Litton in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 13, 1918.

A By-law to raise by way of loan, the sum of $1,273.06 by the issue of debentures to meet the cost of construction of sewers in those portions of the streets of the City of Kingston mentioned in the schedule annexed to this By-law.

Passed March 18th, 1918.

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, upon the recommendation of the Local Board of Health, approved of by the Provincial Board of Health, did affirm by a vote of two-thirds of all the members o fthe Council in regular meeting thereof, that it was desirable and necessary in the public interest to construct each of the sewers mentioned and described in Column one of Part 1 of the Schedule hereto annexed for the purpose of draining a particular locality for sanitary drainage purposes as a local improvement under the provisions of the Local Improvement Act.

AND WHEREAS petitions were received by the said Council praying for the construction of common sewers as local improvements under the said Act on the portion of the streets mentioned and described in Column One of Part II of the schedule hereto annexed, such petitions being signed by at least two-thirds in number of the owners of the real property to be benefited thereby according to the last revised Assessment Roll of the Municipality, such owners representing at least one-half in value of such real property, (the number of such owners and the value of such real, property as appeared by the last assessment roll of the Municipality, having been first ascertained and determined in the manners and by the means provided by a By-law in that behalf), and thereupon the said council decided that a common sewer should be constructed on the said portion of said street in accordance with the said petition, the construction of the said sewer having been approved of by the Provincial Board of Health.

AND WHEREAS the said several sewers were duly constructed and temporary advances were obtained to meet the cost thereof, and a report has been made thereupon showing that said respective works have been fully completed and a special assesment roll has been prepared by the City Engineer pursuant to the By-law in that behalf showing the cost of the said several works respectively and making an assessment therefor upon the several lots abutting directly on the respective works, and it has been certified that the period of twenty years is the probable life of each of the said several works.

AND WHEREAS the assessed value of the whole real property rateable in respect of the said several improvements as ascertained and finally determined is the amount mentioned

in the eighth column of the said schedule respectively opposite the said several works as described in the first column of said Schedule.

AND WHEREAS the total cost of the said several improvements is as mentioned in the second column of the said Schedule respectively and the Corporation's portion of such cost is as mentioned in the third column of the said Schedule respectively, and the portion of such cost chargeable against the several lots abutting directly on the work is as mentioned in the fourth column of the said Schedule respectively opposite the said several works as described in the first column of said Schedule.

AND WHEREAS the number of feet frontage of the lots chargeable in case of each of such local improvement works is as set down in the fifth column of said Schedule, and the cost per foot frontage chargeable against the lots chargeable in respect of each of such work is as set down in the sixth column of each such Schedule respectively opposite each such works as described in the first column of said Schedule and the annual rate per foot frontage to be levied in each year for the period of twenty years upon the several lots abutting directly upon and chargeable in respect of each such work is as set down in the seventh column of the said Schedule respectively opposite each such work as described in the first column of said Schedule and the said Schedule is in all those particulars the same respectively as ascertained and determined by the said report and roll and statement of the City Engineer and by the Court of Revision and by the County Judge (where an appeal was had) in respect of each of the said several works.

AND WHEREAS the sum of $1,273.06 being the total cost of the said works, is the amount of the debt to be created by this By-law and for the purpose of repaying the said temporary advances it is expedient to raise the said sum of $1,273.06 by the issue of debentures of the said City of Kingston, the principal to be payable in twenty years from the first day of January, 1918, as hereinafter provided.

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of $65.79 to be raised annually for a period of twenty years to pay the sum of $702.84 (being the Corporation's portion of the said cost of the said works) and interest at the rate of 6% per annum, payable half-yearly; and it will require the sum of $53.37 raised annually for a period of twenty years to pay the sum of

$570.22 (being the property owners' portion of the said cost of the said works) and interest at the said rate payable half yearly.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable property of the said City of Kingston according to the last revised assessment roll is the sum of $13,463,300, and the amount of the existing debenture debt of the said city, exclusive of local improvement debts, secured by special acts, rates or assessments, is the sum of $1,469,385.80, of which neither principal nor interest is in arrear.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to lend the same upon the credit of the Corporation by the issue of debentures hereinafter mentioned the sum of $1,273.06, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer for the purpose of this By-law.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required, not less than $100 each and not exceeding in the whole the said sum of $1,273.06, and the said debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said corporation and signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the said Treasurer thereof, and shall be used to raise the sum of $1,273.06 by way of loan as aforesaid for the purpose aforesaid.

3. The said debt shall be payable in twenty years from the first day of January A.D. 1918, at the office of the Treasurer of the said City of Kingston, in the said City.

4. The said debentures shall all bear the same date, and shall be issued within two years after the day on which this By-law is passed.

5. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the first day of January, 1918, which interest shall be payable half-yearly on the first day of the months of January and July in each year at the office of the said Treasurer in the said City of Kingston, and the said debentures shall have interest coupons attached to them which coupons shall be signed by the said Treasurer.

6. As to the said sum of $702.84, being the Corporation's portion of the cost of the said several works as described in column one of the Schedule hereto annexed there shall be raised annually during the currency of the debentures the sum of $42.17 for the interest thereon and the sum of $23.62 to form a sinking fund for the payment of the said debt, the said sum making together the annual amount of $65.79 to be raised, levied and collected in each year during the said period of twenty years by annual special rate sufficient therefore to be levied on the whole rateable property in the said Municipality.

7. As to the said sum of $570.22 being the owners' portion of the cost of the said several works as described in column one of the Schedule hereto annexed, there shall be raised annually during the currency of the said debentures the sum of $34.21 for the payment of interest thereon, and the sum of $19.16 to form a sinking fund for the payment of the said portion of the said debt, the said sums making together the annual amount of $53.37. For the payment of the owners' portion of the cost, $570.22 and the annual interest thereon, $19.16, the several special assessments set forth in the said Special Assessment Rolls are hereby imposed upon the lands liable therefor as therein severally set forth, which said annual assessments with a sum sufficient to cover the interest thereon at the rate aforesaid shall be payable in twenty (20) equal annual instalments as severally set forth in Column No. 7 opposite the said several works as described in Column No. 1 of the said Schedule hereto annexed, and for that purpose the equal annual special rate per foot frontage applicable to each work as set forth in Column No. 7, is hereby imposed in the case of each of such works upon the lots abutting directly upon said work as described in Column One (1) of said Schedule, according to the assessed frontage thereof, over and above all other rates and taxes, which said special rates shall be collected annually by the collector of taxes for the Corporation at the same time and in the same manner as other taxes.

8. The said debentures shall be sold and the proceeds thereof shall be applied in paying and discharging the temporary loan or debt incurred in and for the construction of the said works and in no other way and for no other purpose whatever.

9. Any person whose lands are assessed for the said special rate in respect of any of the said local improvements may commute for the payment of his proportionate share of the cost of

the said improvements as aforesaid by paying a principal sum according to his frontage as shown in the said roll of the City Engineer as finally revised up to the end of two weeks from and after this By-law shall take effect, after which the said debentures shall be issued and no commutation shall be permitted, and the lands of persons commuting shall not be subject to the said special rate and the amount of the said debenture shall be reduced by the amount paid as commutation.

10. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

R. E. KENT,
Acting Mayor [L.S.]

SCHEDULE OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENT WORKS.

Part 1. Sewers constructed by Council on recommendation of Local Board of Health.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Street or Avenue	Total Cost.	Corporation's Portion.	Owner's Portion.	Frontage in ft. of property benefited and assessed.	Cost of work per ft. frontage Cts.	Annual rate per ft. frontage to be levied Cts.	Assessed value of real property rateable.
Cherry St. from a point 90 ft. N. of Plum St., Southerly, to connect with sewer in Plum St.	$ 344 47	$242 56	$101 91	71	1.435	13.42	$3,580
Princess St. from a point 413 ft. W. of Division, thence Westerly 68 ft.	147 20	70 43	76 77	66.5	1.154	10.80	7,190

Part 2. Sewers constructed on Petition.

Alma St. from a point 125 ft. from Patrick St., thence N. E. to connect with sewer in Patrick St.	551 18	282 16	269 02	155.5	1.73	16.20	5,420
Brock St. from Albert St. to Nelson	230 21	107 69	122 52	192.	.638	5.97	6,410
	$1,273 06	$702 84	$570 22				

Ald. O'Connor presented By-law No. 14, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Millan in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 14, 1918.

A By-law to raise by way of loan, the sum of $24,983.58 by the issue of debentures to meet the cost of construction of Asphalt Pavements on those portions of the streets of the City of Kingston mentioned in the schedule annexed to this By-law.

Passed, March 18th, 1918.

WHEREAS in the opinion of two-thirds of all the members of the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston it was desirable in the public interest to construct Asphalt pavements as local improvements on the several portions of streets mentioned and described in Column One of the schedule hereto annexed and by the requisite affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members of said Council, to provide from the general funds of the Municipality forty per cent. of that portion of the cost of the construction of the said pavement falling on the property benefited in addition to the part of such cost to be provided by the Municipality and to add said forty per cent. to the said part of the cost of construction of the said roadway to be provided by the Municipality and to issue debentures for the amount thus obtained.

AND WHEREAS the said pavements were duly constructed and temporary advances were obtained to meet the cost thereof, and a report has been made thereupon showing that said works have been fully completed and that a special assessment roll has been prepared by the City Engineer pursuant to the By-law in that behalf showing the cost of the said works and making an assessment therefor upon the several lots abutting directly on the works and it has been certified that the period of ten years is the probable life of the said works.

AND WHEREAS the assessed value of the whole real property rateable in respect of said several improvements as ascertained and finally determined is the amount mentioned in

the eighth column of the said schedule respectively opposite the said several works as described in the first column of said Schedule.

AND WHEREAS the total cost of the said several improvements is as mentioned in the second column of the said Schedule respectively and the Corporation's portion of such cost is as mentioned in the third column of the said Schedule respectively, and the portion of such cost chargeable against the several lots abutting directly on the works is as mentioned in the fourth column of the said Schedule respectively opposite the said several works as described in the first column of said Schedule.

AND WHEREAS the number of feet frontage of the lots chargeable in case of each of such local improvement works is as set down in the fifth column of said Schedule, and the cost per foot frontage chargeable against the lots chargeable in respect of each such work is as set down in the sixth column of each such Schedule respectively opposite each such works as described in the first column of said schedule and the annual rate per foot frontage to be levied in each year for the period of Ten years upon the several lots abutting directly upon and chargeable in respect of each such work is as set down in the seventh column of the said Schedule respectively opposite each such work as described in the first column of said Schedule and the said Schedule is in all those particulars the same respectively as ascertained and determined by the said report and roll and statement of the City Engineer and by the Court of Revision and by the County Judge (where an appeal was had) in respect of each of the said several works.

AND WHEREAS the sum of $24,983.58 being the total cost of the said works, is the amount of the debt to be created by this By-law and for the purpose of repaying the said temporary advances it is expedient to raise the said sum of $24,-983.58 by the issue of debentures of the said City of Kingston, the principal to be payable in ten years from the first day of January, 1918, as hereinafter provided.

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of $1801.36 raised annually for a period of Ten years to pay the sum of $12,570.56 (being the Corporation's portion of the said cost, of the said works) and interest at the rate of 6% per annum, payable half-yearly; and it will require the sum of $1,778.78 raised annually for a period of Ten years to pay the sum of $12,413.02 (being

the property owners' portion of the said cost of the said works) and interest at the said rate payable half-yearly.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable property of the said City of Kingston acording to the last revised assessment roll is the sum of $13,463,300, and the amount of the existing debenture debt of the said city, exclusive of local improvement debts, secured by special acts, rates or assessments, is the sum of $1,469,385.80, of which neither principal nor interest is in arrear.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies, corporate, who may be willing to lend the same upon the credit of the Corporation by the issue of the debentures hereinafter mentioned the sum of $24,983.58, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer for the purpose of this By-law.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required, not less than $100 each and not exceeding in the whole the said sum of $24,983.58, and the said debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the said Treasurer thereof, and shall be used to raise the sum of $24,983.58 by way of loan as aforesaid for the purpose aforesaid.

3. The said debt shall be payable in Ten years from the first day of January, A.D. 1918, at the office of the Treasurer of the said City of Kingston, in the said City.

4. The said debentures shall all bear the same date, and shall be issued within two years after the day on which this By-law is passed.

5. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 6% per annum from the first day of January, 1918, which interest shall be payable half-yearly on the first day of the months of January and July in each year at the office of the said Treasurer in the said City of Kingston, and the said debentures shall have interest coupons attached to them which coupons shall be signed by the said Treasurer.

6. As to the said sum of $12,570.56 being the Corporation's portion of the cost of the said several works as described in column one of the Schedule hereto annexed there shall be raised annually during the currency of the debentures the sum of $754.23 for the interest thereon and the sum of $1,047.13 to form a sinking fund for the payment of the said debt, the said sum making together the annual amount of $1,801.36 to be raised, levied and collected in each year during the said period of years by annual special rate sufficient therefor to be levied on the whole rateable property in the said Municipality.

7. As to the said sum of $12,413.02, being the owners' portion of the cost of the said several works as described in column One of the Schedule hereto annexed, there shall be raised annually during the currency of the said debentures the sum of $744.78 for the payment of interest thereon, and the sum of $1,034.00 to form a sinking fund for the payment of the said portion of the said debt, the said sums making together the annual amount of $1,778.78. For the payment of the owners' portion of the cost, $12,413.02, and the interest thereon, $744.78, the several special assessments set forth in the said Special Assessment Rolls are hereby imposed upon the lands liable therefor as therein severally set forth, which said annual assessments with a sum sufficient to cover the interest thereon at the rate aforesaid shall be payable in Ten (10) equal annual instalments as severally set forth in Column No. 7, apposite the said several works as described in Column No. 1 of the equal annual special rate per foot frontage applicable to each work as set forth in Column No. 7, is hereby imposed in the case of each of such works upon the lots abutting directly upon said work as described in Column One (1) of said Schedule, according to the assessed frontage thereof, over and above all other rates and taxes, which said special rates shall be collected annually by the collector of taxes for the Corporation at the same time and in the same manner as other taxes.

8. The said debentures shall be sold and the proceeds thereof shall be applied in paying and discharging the temporary loan or debt incurred in and for the construction of the said works and in no other way and for no other purpose whatever.

9. Any person whose lands are assessed for the said special rate in respect of any of the said local improvements may commute for the payment of his proportionate share of the cost of the said improvements as aforesaid by paying a principal sum

according to his frontage as shown in the said roll of the City Engineer as finally revised up to the end of two weeks from and after this By-law shall take effect after which the said debentures shall be issued and no commutation shall be permitted and the lands of persons commuting shall not be subject to the said special rate and the amounts of the said debentures shall be reduced by the amount paid as commutation.

10. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

R. E. KENT,
Acting Mayor [L.S.]

SCHEDULE OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENT WORKS.

Street Pavements constructed under Section of the Local Improvement Act, R.S.O., 1914, Chap. 193.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Street or Avenue	Total Cost.	Corporation's Portion.	Owner's Portion.	Frontage in ft. of property benefited and assessed.	Cost of work per ft. frontage Cts.	Annual rate per ft. frontage to be levied Cts.	Assessed value of real property rateable.
University Ave. from Union St. to Princess	$19,520 52	$10,242 59	$ 9,277 93	4,023	2.3062	33.05	$346,760
Ontario St. from Place D'Armes St. to New Bridge	5,463 06	2,327 97	3,135 09	1,164	2.6933	38.60	68,100
	$24,983 58	$12,570 56	$12,413 02				

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. White (10) in view of the fact that within 48 hours we shall have in our midst 300 returned soldiers, members of the first contingent, that this Council name a Committee for the purpose of extending to them a grand civic reception, same to take place on a date to be named by the Committee in the City Hall, that said Committee ask the co-operation of the Great War Veterans Association, Army and Navy Veterans Association and Military authorities; that Finance Committee re requested to provide a sum up to $250.00 to defray expenses of said Committee.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. White, seconded by Ald. N. A. Smith (11) that the following Committee be appointed to entertain returned soldiers with power to add:—Ald. O'Connor, Chairman, Ald. Chown. N. A. Smith. Corbett, Litton.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. O'Connor (12) that the request of the Public Utilities Commission to have the City Council provide them with $9,987.50 to purchase railway equipment as outlined in their communication dated Feb. 28th, 1918, is hereby granted.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Black, seconded by Ald. Anglin that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10.30 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

April 1st, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Norris, Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, J. W. Smith, White, Wright.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Black (1) that the Minutes of last meeting as printed be adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

Public Utilities Commission re amendment to the Power Commission Act.

City Auditor's Report for 1917.

Board of Works.

Canadian Oil Companies, re installation gasoline tank under sidewalk at 228 Ontario St.

Public Utilities Commission.

G. W. V. A., re appointment of an accountant.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 25 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, March 28th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the accounts as rendered by the Fuel Commissioner be paid.

2. That tenders be called for printing the Auditor's Report of 1917.

3. That the communication from the Great War Veterans Association asking that a returned soldier be appointed as Accountant in the Public Utilities office, Princess Street, be referred to the Public Utilities Commission.

4. That whereas Mr. Kribbs, Mr. Powers and Mr. McCollum of the Hydro Electric Commission have advised the Chairman of the Public Utilities Commission of this City that they would endeavor to have the Act amended whereby the local Commission could borrow or guarantee money without consulting the Council or ratepayers of this City, and whereas the Public Utilities Commission of this City have made application to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario asking them to endeavor to obtain amendment to the Municipal Act, which would give the Public Utilities Commission of this City power to make small capital expenditures out of revenue, that this Council hereby instructs the City Solicitor to oppose such legislation, as the ratepayers have already guaranteed a large debt on these plants and said debt should not be further increased without their sanction, and that the power to make capital expenditures out of revenue is detrimental to the interests of the consumer.

5. That the following accounts be paid:—

Kingston, Ont., March 28, 1918.

The following accounts are properly authorized and funds provided by By-Law or Budget.

Board of Works.

Pay List, ending March 12	$1335 80
W. F. Alarie, repairs	6 75

Thos. McAuley, supplies	5 00
Jas. McFadden, cab hired	2 25
Jas. Richardson, repair drain	116 59
	$1486 39

Fire and Light.

S. Anglin & Co., storm sash	$ 34 78
J. S. Armstrong, oats	148 50
American LaFrance Co., cap badge	3 60
John Kelly & Son, repair and horseshoeing	39 30
J. A. McFarlane, bran	20 00
Pay List, help at fires	13 00
W. J. Vince, work and material	14 90
Public Utilities Commission	12 64
	$286 72

Garbage

Savage & Co., reglazing	$ 1 25
Fred. Thomson Co., motor	125 00
	$ 126 25

Finance.

Amusement Tax.

Canadian Express, express	25

Printing.

The British Whig Pub. Co., printing	17 50
The Jackson Press, printing	46 50
T. McAuley, printing	36 95

City Registry Office.

City Registry Office, list of deeds	1 20
City Registry Office, light	5 09
	$ 107 49

The following accounts have been authorized by council but funds are not properly provided.

War Expenses.

Public Utilities Commission	$ 14 75

Contingencies.

W. H. Phillips, honorarium .....$ 650 00

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. M. HUGHES, Mayor.
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
H. W. NEWMAN,
J. W. LITTON,
S. S. CORBETT,
R. E. KENT.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carriedi

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Fire and Light.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 26 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

Kingston, March 26th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That two horses have been sold at $90.00 and $75.00 each. That the proceeds from this sale be placed to the credit of this Committee.

2. That the tender of the Dunlop Tire and Rubber Goods Company, Toronto, for the following supplies be accepted, being the lowest:—

500 ft. fire hose, Niagara Brand, at $1.15 per foot net.

6, only, expanding ring couplings with rings and gaskets, at $5.10 each, 10% off.

4, only, modern waterproof coats, at $9.50 each net.

12, only, souwesters, assorted sizes, at $8.50 per doz., 10% off.

80 ft. corrugated hose $15.12.

3. That the following be the salaries of the firemen after April 1st:—

Chief Fire Department	$1600
Captains	$2.80 per day
Fireman, 1st year	2.20 per day
Fireman, 2nd year	2.30 per day
Fireman, 3rd year	2.40 per day
Fireman, 4th year	2.50 per day

Engineer, same rating as firemen in same year of service, and if he will also perform the duties of an active fireman, if capable of doing so, 15c. per day extra.

Stable man, 10c. per day additional above his yearly rating.

4. That Schedule A, By-law No. 45, 1909, Section 4, be amended by adding after the word "duties" the following, "including all necessary alterations, repairs, etc., to Stations and apparatus, as in the opinion of the Chief they are capable of doing."

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. W. LITTON, Chairman.
T. HEWITT,
P. B. CHOWN,
CHAS. A. ANGLIN,
W. J. B. WHITE.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Anglin (3) that the report of the Fire and Light Committee be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Corbett presented report No. 27 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:—

Kingston, Apr. 1st, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the Chairman be authorized to make repairs to the Messenger's quarters, cost not to exceed $25.00.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) S. S. CORBETT, Chairman.
P. B. CHOWN,
JAMES NORRIS,
R. G. ARMSTRONG.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Chown (4) that the report of the Committee on City Property, Markets and Licenses be received and adopted.—Carried.

Garbage and Refuse.

Ald Newman presented report No. 28 from the Committee on Garbage and Refuse as follows:—

Kingston, March 27th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Garbage and Refuse begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That on account of several changes and reforms which have recently taken place in connection with the collection and disposal of garbage, the following changes be made:—

(a) That whereas considerable amount of garbage is now being gathered by Collectors, other than the City system, that the services of the four helpers be dispensed with.

(b) That whereas collection of paper, etc., is now on a systematic basis, that the team and wagon be displaced by a horse and wagon; that the services of the helper for this work be dispensed with, and the wages of the Collector increased from 33 to 35c. per hour.

(c) That whereas the boiler has been removed and an engineer is not now, and will not be needed in the future, that the services of the engineer be dispensed with, and that Clause 9 and 10, Report No. 48, Minutes of Council, Sept. 15th, 1915, is hereby repealed.

(d) That a man be placed in charge of the work of burning the garbage at 25c. per hour, to be appointed by the the Inspector.

(e) That a spare man be appointed by the Inspector.

2. That tenders be called for a one horse box wagon.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) H. W. NEWMAN, Chairman.
T. HEWITT,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (5) that the report of the Garbage and Refuse Committee be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 29 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, March 27th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the application of Robinson and Wiltshire to instal a gasoline tank on Bagot Street be not granted.

2. That the application of the Canadian Oil Co. to instal a gasoline tank under the sidewalk at 228 Ontario Street, be not granted.

3. That on the recommendation of the City Solicitor, Archibald Staley be paid the sum of $15.00 in settlement of claim for damages to cutter.

4. That tenders be called for street watering.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. W. LITTON, Chairman.
A. SIMMONS.
J. W. SMITH,
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
D. ALLAN BLACK.

Moved by Ald O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Wright (6) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted with Clauses 1 and 2 withdrawn.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Litton presented By-Law No. 15, 1918. The By-Law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Norris in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 15, 1918.

A By-Law to amend By-Law No. 45, 1909.

Passed April 1st, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. Section 4, Schedule A, By-Law No. 45, 1909, is hereby amended by adding after the word "duties," the following:—"including all necessary alterations, repairs, etc., to Stations

and apparatus, as in the opinion of the Chief they are capable of doing."

2. This By-Law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. O'Connor (7) that the request of the Canadian Oil Companies Ltd., to instal a gasoline tank on Ontario Street near the corner of Brock St. be granted under the supervision of and in accordance with approved plans and specifications of the City Engineer.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Simmons, seconded by Ald. Chown (8) that Robinson and Wiltshire's request for gasoline pump to be placed on Bagot St. be granted subject to the specification of the Engineer.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Clugston, seconded by Ald. Wright, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

April 15th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hewitt, Hooper, Kent, Litton, Millan, Norris, Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith, White, Wright.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Corbett (1) that the Minutes of last meeting as printed be adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

Kathleen Daly, Treasurer Prince Charlie Chapter, I.O.D.E., re rebate rental City Hall.

Fuel Administrator for Ontario re regulations.

Retail Merchants' Association, favoring a Fuel Commissioner to be appointed.

Military Y.M.C.A. asking for a grant.

Board of Works.

Postmaster, re numbering city streets.

E. Elder, re permission to erect flower hedge Cor. Barrie and Upper William Sts.

Fire and Light.

Report from Chief Engineer, Waterworks Dept., re Fire Underwriters' Report.

Rev. J. A. Nussey, asking for a light on Division St., between Elm and York Sts.

Petition.

Robt. Coffey and others requesting change of name of Upper William St. and William St. West.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 30(a) from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the following accounts be paid:—

Canadian Pacific Ry. Co's Tel. Message	$ 52
Kingston Street Ry., messages	10 00
R. Orwell, cab hire	2 50
Standard Printing & Pub. Co., ads.	93 60

2. That the request of the Public Utilities Commission to have the City Council furnish them with the following amounts for purposes named below be granted, and that By-laws be passed by the City Council, and application be made to the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board for approval of the same in order to raise these amounts by the sale of debentures:—

$30,000.00 for waterworks pumping equipment.

9,987.50 for street railway power equipment.

3,989.00 for electric extension to the Kingston Hosiery Mill.

5,410.00 for electric extension to Mowt Hospital, Rockwood Hospital, Kingston Penitentiary and Village of Portsmouth.

3. That the following accounts be paid:—

Kingston, Ont., April 11, 1918.

The following accounts are properly authorized and funds provided by By-law or Budget.

Board of Works.

Pay List to March 27, 1918	$1128	56
Bell Telephone Co., rent	20	50
W. Cockburn, smithwork	25	11
Kingston Sand and Gravel Co., sand	24	00
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	36	60
A. Maclean, salt	3	50
	$1238	27

Fire and Light.

Anglin & Co., flooring and pole handles	$ 42	40
Bell Telephone Co., service	26	25
R. J. Bushell, Carrots	9	00
G. T. Ry., freight	1	34
E. P. Halligan, plumbing repairs	10	45
Northern Electric Co., supplies	64	55
Stevenson & Hunter, supplies	48	70
Jas. Swift & Co., coal	23	00
	$ 225	69

Garbage

S. Anglin & Co., lumber	$ 3	23
Bell Telephone Co., rent	7	75
Engineering & Machine Works, grates	9	00
McKelvey & Birch, blower pipe	32	00
Public Utilities Commission, service	3	78
Stevenson & Hunter, supplies	6	27
	$ 62	03

Finance.

Charity—

St. John's Industrial School, maintenance	$ 84	90
Victoria Industrial School, maintenance	145	80

Printing.

The British Whig Pub. Co., supplies	$ 9	50
Dominion Express Co., express		55
Hanson, Crozier & Edgar, supplies	1	50

The Jackson Press, supplies	5 40
Mitchell & McGill, cards	11 25
Office Specialty Co., supplies	7 50
The Standard Printing & Pub. Co., printing	77 75

Rentals.

Department of Militia and Defence, rent	1 00

Registry Office.

Public Utilities Commission	4 96

Contingencies.

The Bell Telephone Co., messages	39 25
City Registry Office, searches	2 65
Miss H. Fraser, Registrar, information	90
G. N. W. Tel. Co., Messages	52
J. P. Hanley, tickets	9 90
Thos. McAuley, supplies	17 00
Public Library	1500 00
	$1920 33

The following accounts have been authorized by Council but funds are not properly provided.

War Expenses.

Overseas Pay List, allowance	$ 48 66
Public Utilities Commission	35 09
	$ 83 75

Fuel Control.

Pay List	$ 111 75

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. M. HUGHES, Mayor
S. S. CORBETT,
J. W. LITTON,
H. W. NEWMAN,
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
R. E. KENT,
N. E. O'CONNOR.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Corbett (2) that report No. 30(a) from the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Peters (3) that Clause 2 be referred back for further consideration.—Lost.

The original motion was then declared carried.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 30(b) from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

April 15th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the bequest of the late Capt. George Richardson to erect a bath house in the City of Kingston be accepted in accordance with the conditions laid down in a letter from his brother James A. Richardson, dated Apr. 4th, 1918, and attached to the plans submitted, that said bath house be located on the water front, McDonald Park, between the present band stand and Emily Street, that the City Solicitor be instructed to prepare a draft agreement between the parties concerned.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. M. HUGHES, Mayor.
S. S. CORBETT,
J. W. LITTON,
H. W. NEWMAN,
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
R. E. KENT,
N. E. O'CONNOR.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (4) that report No. 30(b) of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 31 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, April 10th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the tender of James McFadden for street watering as follows be accepted:—

45c. per hour for team and wagon, two horses.

35c. per hour for horse and man for single water wagon.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) N. E. O'CONNOR,
A. SIMMONS,
J. W. SMITH,
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
J. W. LITTON,
D. COUPER.
D. ALLAN BLACK.

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Simmons (5) that the report of the Board of Works be received and dopted.—Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 32 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

Kingston, April 9th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the accounts as presented for the accident to the Chief of the Fire Department, be paid, as follows:—

Kingston General Hospital	$ 139 00
Gordon W. Mylks, M.D.	116 00
N. C. Polson & Co.	3 93
Sundries (James Armstrong)	10 95
	$ 269 88

2. That the tender of James Hounslow and Tryon to paint the roof of Fire Station on Ontario St. amounting to $30.60 be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. W. LITTON,
D. J. MILLAN,
T. HEWITT,
P. B. CHOWN,
WM. R. CLUGSTON,
W. J. B. WHITE,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Chown (6) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

Garbage and Refuse.

Ald. Newman presented report No. 33 from the Committee on Garbage and Refuse as follows:—

Kingston, April 10th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Garbage and Refuse begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That Thomas Burns be paid two weeks salary on leaving as Engineer.

2. That all the carters be paid 35c. per hour, to date from April 8th, 1918.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) H. W. NEWMAN,
T. HEWITT,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (7) that the report of the Committee on Garbage and Refuse be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Corbett presented report No. 34 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:—

Kingston, April 15th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the tender of Hounslow and Tryon to repair and paint 154 squares on the roof of the City Buildings (main part) at the rate of 75c. a square, and the lower part or base of the dome, 36 squares additional at the same rate, work and repairs to be done in accordance with their letter of Oct. 20th, 1917, be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) S. S. CORBETT,
P. B. CHOWN,
W. J. A. HOOPER,
R. B. ARMSTRONG,
D. J. MILLAN,
JAMES NORRIS,
W. P. PETERS.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Chown (8) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. White (9) that whereas Council has appropriated $300.00 for the purposes of Greater Production, particularly assisting in ploughing and cultivating, that a Committee of two be appointed to handle same, said Committee to be Ald. Armstrong and J. W. Smith. —Carried.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Newman (10) that a Fuel Commissioner be appointed for the City of Kingston, and that said appointment date from May 1st, 1918, and to be for one year; that Finance Committee recommend to Council a name for this position with all the detail connected.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. Armstrong that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 11.30 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

April 29th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Anglin, Armstrong, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Hewitt, Millan, O'Connor, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith, White, Wright.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Clugston (1) that the Minutes of last meeting as printed be adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

Kingston Public Library, asking for remission of taxes.

Trades and Labor Council, re appointing Fuel Commissioner.

Douglas Laing, applying for the position of Fuel Commissioner.

City Auditor's reply to Chairman Public Utilities Commission.

Fire and Light.

Reports re Underwriter's reports.

City Property.

S. L. Squire, Government Fisheries Sales Branch, re distribution of fresh fish.

Public Utilities Commission.

G. W. Richardson, re discount water rates.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 35 from the Committe on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, April 25th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Account begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the expense account of the Assessment Commis sioner to Toronto, amounting to $16.55, be paid.

2. That the applications of the Prince Charlie Chapte I.O.D.E. and Cataraqui Chapter, I.O.D.E., for refund rental c City Hall be granted.

3. That the annual fee of the Ontario Municipal Associa tion, amounting to $25.00, be paid.

4. That the application from the Kingston Public Librar for remission of taxes be granted.

5. That the Annual Report for 1917 as presented by th City Auditor be received and adopted, and that the usual num ber of copies be printed for circulation.

6. That the following accounts be paid:—

Kingston, Ont., April 24, 1918.

The following accounts are properly authorized and fund provided by By-law or Budget.

Board of Works.

Archibald Staley, claim for damages	$	15 0

City Property Department.

Pay Roll ending March 12, 1918	$	37 7
Pay Roll ending March 27, 1918		35 1
Pay Roll ending April 12, 1918		40 0
Imperial Steam Laundry, laundry		6
Standard Printing & Pub. Co., printing		3 5

aylor & Hamilton, supplies and repairs 12 09
ublic Utilities Commission, service 124 58

$ 253 73

Parks.

ay Roll ending April 12 .....$ 35 05

Finance.

rinting.
The Jackson Press, supplies .....$ 3 00

egistrar Office.
F. W. Coates, repairs 1 25
McKelvey & Birch, goods 10 38

ontingencies.
C. P. R. Co's Telegraph, message 30

$ 14 93

The following account has been authorized by Council but unds are not properly provided.

War Expense.

ublic Utilities Commission .....$ 19 26

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. M. HUGHES, Mayor.
J. W. LITTON,
N. E. O'CONNOR.
GEO. C. WRIGHT,

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Wright (2) that he report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be re-eived and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 36 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, April 24th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That in regard to the communication from the Postmaster, re numbering of streets, that in order to renumber the houses a complete survey of the City is necessary, which would involve a great deal of work and a large expense, and as no appropriation has been made for it this year, that this matter is held in abeyance.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) N. E. O'CONNOR,
A. SIMMONS,
J. W. SMITH,
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
D. COUPER.
D. ALLAN BLACK.
J. W. LITTON,

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Wright (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted. —Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Chown presented report No. 37 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:—

Kingston, April 22nd, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That this Committee has learned that the City did not have any bond of indemnity when the Kingston Industrial Fair Association used the Fair Grounds last fall, and that the present privilege of using the Fair Grounds for the Fall Fair of 1918 is hereby cancelled until a Bond of Indemnity is supplied to them for $10,000, said bond to be approved of by the City Solicitor.

2. That the City Engineer prepare specifications and call for tenders for the outside work necessary to be done to the City Buildings.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) P. B. CHOWN,
D. J. MILLAN,
R. G. ARMSTRONG.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Millan (4) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Anglin presented By-law No. 16, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Simmons in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 16, 1918.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 2 of the Consolidated By-laws, by changing the name of the Committee on Garbage and Refuse.

Passed, April 29th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:—

Paragraph 35 of By-law number Two of the Consolidated By-laws is hereby amended by striking out after "the figure 8" in said paragraph, the words "Garbage and Refuse" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the City Health."

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on the passing thereof.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. White (5) that whereas it is deemed advisable to appoint a Committee to handle the fish question for 1918, that a Committee composed of Alds. Chown, Anglin and N. A. Smith be appointed.—Carried

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. White (6) that Mr. H. C. Nickle be appointed Fuel Commissioner from May 1st, 1918 to May 1st, 1919, at a salary of $1200.00 per annum and that $12.00 per week be allowed for clerical assistance.—Carried.

Mr. Nickle was present and notified Council that he declined to accept the position.

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Smith (7) that Motion No. 10, Minutes of Council, April 15th, be reconsidered. —Carried.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. N. A. Smith, (8) that whereas Mr. H. C. Nickle has served this City in the capacity of Fuel Commissioner to the entire satisfaction of the citizen public that this Council express their appreciation of his services and that a vote of thanks be tendered accordingly.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Hewitt, seconded by Ald. O'Connor (9) that the report of Auditor Muir be referred to a Committee consisting of Ald. O'Connor, White and the Mover to go into both reports and report to Council.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Wright, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 11 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

May 13th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Hewitt, Hooper, Kent, Litton, Millan, Norris, Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith, White.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (1) that City Auditor Muir act as City Clerk in the absence of City Clerk Sands.—Carried.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Clugston (2) that the Minutes of last meeting as printed be adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

Hydro-Electric Railway Association of Ontario re annual subscription.

Public Utilities Commission, applying for $3,390.00 for Cable Extension.

G.W.V.A. re refund rental of City Hall.

The Garrison Club, re refund rental of City Hall.

Soldiers' Aid Commission, re grant.

Union of Canadian Municipalities, re representative to Convention in Victoria.

Kingston Poultry Association, re refund rental of City Hall for lecture held by Association on Apr. 19th.

J. D. Cosgrove, Clerk and Treasurer, Wolfe Island, asking for usual grant of $25.00, re slip foot Clarence St.

W. F. Kelly, applying for position of Fuel Commissioner.

Anthony Malone, applying for the position of Fuel Commissioner.

Fred. H. Simpson, applying for the position of Fuel Commissioner.

Kingston Ministerial Associaton expressing appreciation of work of Mr. H. C. Nickle as Fuel Controller.

E. E. Horsey, applying for position of Fuel Controller.

Board of Works.

A. V. Aldridge, re claim for damage on account of flooding.

City Property and Markets.

Kingston Branch G.W.V.A., re use Fair Grounds for July 1st.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Clugston (3) that the request of the Great War Veterans to have the use of the Fair Grounds for July 1st be granted under the usual conditions.—Carried.

Parks.

McKelvey & Birch, re removal of earth from Bath house site.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 38 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, May 9th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the following accounts be paid:—

War Expense—

British Whig Pub. Co., ad. $21 00
The Jackson Press, requisitions 5 00

City Health Dept.—

I. Cohen & Co., wagon 78 30

2. That the application of the Public Utilities Commission for the sum of $3,390.00 for the purpose of installing the cable to be used across LaSalle Causeway in order to connect up Barriefield Camp and the Royal Military College with power, be granted on condition that the same is approved of by the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario.

3. That the request of the Garrison Club for refund of rental of the City Hall for dance held on Apr. 26th be granted.

4. That the following accounts be paid:—

The following accounts are properly authorized and funds provided by By-law or Budget.

Fire and Light.

S. Anglin & Co., coal and lumber	$ 35 07
James Armstrong, sundries	11 95
E. Chown & Co., supplies	12 79
Canadian Northern Railway, freight	35
Canadian Northern Express Co., express	40
Dunlop Tire and Rubber Goods Co., hose	617 66
Gutta Percha & Rubber Ltd., matting	6 15
J. E. Johnston, rubber boots	27 00
Kingston General Hospital, fees	139 00
T. W. Milo, paint	6 00
Dr. G. W. Mylks, services	116 00
N. C. Polson & Co., supplies	3 93
Public Utilities Commission, service	16 50
Jas. Sowards Coal Co., coal	22 00
Stevenson & Hunter, supplies	28 26
J. J. Taugher, smithwork	13 25
Wm. Walker, hay	32 55

City Property and Markets

Pay List, ending Apr. 27th	34
Burke & Graham, repairs	1
Jas. Redden & Co., brooms	11

Health Department.

Pay List, ending Apr. 28th	496
S. Anglin & Co., box and sand	19
Burke & Graham, Installing motor	41
Wm. Drury, lime	3
E. J. Dunphy, painting	10
W. Gilmour, repairs and painting	76
McKelvey & Birch, cement	2
Public Utilities Commission, service	
Stevenson & Hunter, supplies	7

Parks Department

Pay List, ending Apr. 27th	41

Printing.

Canadian Express Co., express	
The Jackson Press, binding	
Thos. McAuley, supplies	23
Mitchell & McGill, supplies	4

Contingencies.

City Registrar, list of Deeds	2
MacLean Pub. Co., subscription	3
Municipal World, subscription	1
Teachers' Institute, grant	25

Industrial Schools

Alexander Industrial School Maintenance	54

The following accounts have been authorized by Counc
but funds are not properly provided.

War Expenses.

Overseas Pay List for Apr.	48
Fuel Control Pay List to Apr. 27th	26

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. M. HUGHES, Mayo
R. E. KENT,
J. W. LITTON,
H. W. NEWMAN,
N. E. O'CONNOR.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (4) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 39 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, May 8th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the request of Mrs. E. Elder to erect a flower hedge from the corner of her property, St. Clair Apartments, on the South-west Corner of Barrie and William Sts. to the walk, be granted.

2. That on the recommendation of the City Engineer the boulevard on Ontario Street from the turn North of Tete du Pont Barracks gate towards the Causeway be turned over to the Parks Committee.

3. That the word "four" in the second line of Section 22 of By-law No. 25 of the Revised By-laws of the City of Kingston, 1907, be amended to read "five", and that the charges set out in Schedule A. of said By-law be amended to read as follows:—

For a period not exceeding one quarter of an hour	$3 00
For a period exceeding one quarter of an hour but not exceeding one half hour	3 75
For a period not exceeding one half hour but not exceeding three quarters of an hour	4 35
For a period exceeding three quarters of an hour but not exceeding one hour	5 00

4. That the petition from the residents of University Ave. re filling in the space between the pavement and the curb with concrete be not granted, on the recommendation of the City Engineer.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) N. E. O'CONNOR,
J. W. SMITH,
A. SIMMONS,
J. W. LITTON,
D. ALLAN BLACK.
D. COUPER.

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Couper (5) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted. —Carried.

City Health.

Ald. Newman presented report No. 40 from the Committee on City Health as follows:—

Kingston, May 8th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Health begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the account of I. Cohen amounting to $78.30 for wagon and canvas be paid.

2. That the estate of the late William Jacobs be paid his wages during the time he was confined to the Hospital, up to and including May 2nd, at the rate of $3.15 per day.

3. That citizens be requested to make week commencing Monday, May 20th, clean-up week, and that $50.00 be granted by Council for the purpose of advertising same.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) H. W. NEWMAN,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN.
T. HEWITT,

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (6) that the report of the City Health Committee be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. O'Connor presented By-law No. 17, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Litton in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 17, 1918.

A By-law to amend Consolidated By-law No. 30.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:—

1. By-law No. 30 of the Revised By-laws of the City of Kingston, 1907, "A" By-law respecting trees and tree planting," is amended by striking out section fifteen and enacting the following in lieu thereof.

15 (a) "It shall be lawful for this Council to cause any tree planted or growing on any highway, square, lane or other public communication, to be removed if and when deemed necessary, for any purpose of public improvement, but the owner of the adjacent land shall be entitled to ten days notice of the intention of the Council to remove such tree, and to be recompensed for his trouble in planting and protecting it, but neither he or the occupant of the land shall be entitled to any further or other compensation. Neither the owner of the adjacent land or any Pathmaster or other public officer, or any other person, shall remove or cut down or injure any such tree without the express permission of the Council.

(b) The City Engineer is hereby authorized to cut down or remove, or cause to be cut down or removed, all decayed trees, and also to remove or transplant, or cause to be removed

or transplanted, any tree planted or growing in any highway, square, lane or other public communication, after Forty-eight hours notice in writing to the occupant of the land opposite to which the tree is planted or growing; but no live tree, unless within Thirty feet of another tree shall be removed without the consent of such occupant. The said notice may be given by leaving it with a grown up person, resident upon the land, or, if the land is unoccupied, by posting in a conspicuous place upon the land.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

J. M. HUGHES, Mayor. A. H. MUIR. [L.S.] Acting City Clerk.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. N. A. Smith (7) that this Council appoint a Fuel Commissioner, duties to commence 15th May, and terminate 1st May, 1919; that Mr. Horsey be appointed at a salary of $1200 per annum.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (8) that the question of appointing a Fuel Controller be referred to the Finance Committee to report.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Couper (9) that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston begs to place on record their deep sense of loss by the death of the late Robert Meek to the City of Kingston, and to ask the City Clerk to forward a letter expressing sympathy and condolence to Mrs. Meek and family of such loss.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Peters, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.45 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

May 27th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held today at 8 P.M., His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Anglin, Armstrong, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Millan, Norris, Newman, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith, White.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Clugston (1) that the Minutes of last meeting as printed be adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

Kingston Co-operative Summer School, asking for a grant.
Thomas Evans, applying for the position of Fuel Commissioner.

City of Toronto, re abolition of Senate.

Napanee, re closing of stores on certain days.

Bricklayers, Masons and Plasterers' Union, re labor for the Dominion Textile Co.

Greater Production Committee, asking for a further grant of $100.00.

Board of Works.

Retail Merchants Association, re street watering.
F. R. Bailey, re damage to goods caused by flooding.

City Property and Markets

Trades and Labor Council, asking for the use of the Fair Grounds on Labor Day.

File.

Mrs. Robert Meek, replying to resolution of condolence.

PETITION.

Board of Works.

Maurice O'Connor and others, for removal of bill board, Cor. Bagot and Dufferin Sts.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 41 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, May 23rd, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the Kingston Co-operative Summer School be granted the sum of $50.00.

2. That the application of the Kingston Poultry Association and Great War Veterans' Association, for refund of rental City Hall be granted having been used for war purposes.

3. That the sum of $25.00 be paid to the Municipality of Wolfe Island having a contribution towards the building of a winter approach at the slip, foot of Clarence St.

4. That no action be taken on the following communications:—

(a) From Napanee, re business house closing certain days of the week.

(b) City of Toronto, re abolition of the Senate.

(c) Bricklayers, Masons and Plasterers' Union, re labor for Dominion Textile Co.

(d) Union of Canadian Municipalities, re meeting.

(e) Soldiers' Aid Commission, re grant.

(f) Hydro Electric Railway Association, re annual subscription.

5. That the following accounts be paid:—

Kingston, Ont., May 23, 1918.

The following accounts are properly authorized and funds provided by By-law or Budget.

Board of Works.

Pay Roll ending April 27, 1918	$ 902 71
Pay Roll ending May 11, 1918	1342 74
Jas. Laturney Carriage Works, repairs	18 60
Lemmon & Sons, supplies	1 20
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	5 09
Public Utilities Commission	1 18
The Standard Printing & Pub. Co., printing	3 60
	$2275 12

City Property and Markets.

Pay Roll ending May 11, 1918	$ 54 13
S. J. Nesbitt, cab hire	2 50
Public Utilities Commission	65 47
	$ 122 10

Parks Department

Pay Roll ending May 11, 1918	$ 103 3
Botsford & Nicol, hardware	3 5
S. Grimshaw, Rep. Flagpole	53 0
John Connon Co. Ltd., shrubs	51 7
	$ 211 6

Industries Comm.

The British Whig Pub. Co., advt.	$ 1 5

Printing.

The Standard Printing & Pub. Co., printing	$ 10 5

Greater Production.

Pay Roll ending May 11, 1918	$ 134 0

Contingencies.

Thos. McAuley, supplies	$ 22 0
John VanCoughnet, carting	5 7
	$ 27 8

Commission.

Pay List for selling debentures	$ 117 5

The following accounts have been authorized by Counc but funds are not properly provided.

War Expenses.

Fuel Control Pay List from April 29-30	$ 4 0
The G. N. W. Telegraph Co., message	1 3
The Jackson Press, supplies	2 5
Public Utilities Commission	25 1
The Standard Printing & Pub. Co., printing	72 9
	$ 105 9

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. M. HUGHES, Mayo
R. E. KENT,
J. W. LITTON,
H. W. NEWMAN,

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. Couper presented report No. 42 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, May 22nd, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the contract between the Corporation and Ruddy & Monk for supply of stone be amended as follows:—

Owing to changed conditions it is mutually agreed that the within contract be modified for the year 1918 and 1919 by making the price for those years $10.00 per toise in place of $7.70 for stone delivered and $7.60 in place of $5.70 in quarry. Should the City quarry run out before the end of the year 1919 Roddy & Monk will supply the City with stone from their own quarry at the same rate.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) A. SIMMONS,
J. W. SMITH,
D. ALLAN BLACK.
J. W. LITTON,

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Black (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 43 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

Kingston, May 21st, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the Public Utilities Commission be paid the sum of $6,666.66 for street lighting for the months of January, February, March and April, 1918.

(Signed) J. W. LITTON,
D. J. MILLAN,
P. B. CHOWN,
WM. R. CLUGSTON,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN.
T. HEWITT,
W. J. B. WHITE,

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Millan (4) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Chown presented report No. 44 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:—

Kingston, May 20th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the application of the Trades and Labor Council for permission to use the Fair Grounds on Labor Day under the usual conditions be granted.

2. That the following arrangement be entered into with the Kingston Industrial Fair Association:—

(a) The Corporation of the City of Kingston will provide $1,000 for repairs to the main building at the Fair Ground, known as the Crystal Palace, provided that the Kingston Industrial Fair Association provide the same amount for the same purpose on this building.

(b) That the Kingston Industrial Fair Association spend $500 for repairs on other buildings at the Fair Grounds, the Association to select the buildings for repairs for this expenditure.

(c) All monies to be deposited with the City Treasurer, and all work to be done under the supervision of the City Engineer.

(d) The insurance on buildings repaired to be increased by the amount obtainable on account of this money being spent.

(e) That the Association pay the premiums on the proportional amount obtained for the $1500 contributed by them.

(f) That the Association shall receive in case of fire a proportional amount from the Insurance Company in accordance with their expenditure.

(g) That the Corporation will give to the Association a lease for a period of three years covering the days in which their Exhibitions are held, provided the Fair Grounds are not required during this term for manufacturing purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) P. B. CHOWN,
D. J. MILLAN,
JAMES NORRIS,
R. G. ARMSTRONG.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Norris (5) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

Special Committee Regarding Supply of Fish.

Ald. Chown presented report No. 45 from the Special Committee Regarding the Supply of Fish as follows:—

Kingston, May 20th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Special Committee Regarding the Supply of Fish begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That authority be given this Committee to advertise for the names of dealers who will handle fish in this Municipality, all consignments of fish to be C.O.D. to the dealers, and the Committee to have power to act.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) P. B. CHOWN,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN,
NORMAN SMITH.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Anglin (6) that the report of the Special Committee on Fish be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Couper presented By-law No. 18, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Millan in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 18, 1918.

A By-law to amend By-law Number 25 of the Revised By-laws.

Passed May 27th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:—

1. By-law Number 25 of the Revised By-laws of the City of Kingston entitled "A By-law relating to Sewers and Drains" is amended by striking out the word "Four" in the second line of Section 22 of said By-law and inserting the word "five" in lieu thereof, and by striking out the figures, 2, 2.75, 3.35, and 4" in Schedule A to said By-law, being the flushing charges, and inserting in lieu thereof respectively the figures "3, 3.75, 4.35 and 5."

2. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

J. M. HUGHES, Mayor. W. W. SANDS, [L.S.] City Clerk.

MOTIONS.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. White, seconded by Ald. Couper, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

June 10th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Hooper, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Norris, Newman, Peters, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith, White.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Hooper (1) that the Minutes of last meeting as printed be adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

City Auditor, re auditing for Public Utilities Commission.

Sec.-Treasurer School Board, re vacancy caused by the death of Robert Meek.

Public Utilities Commission, re extension gas main on Montreal St. between Charles and James, gas main on Charles St. between Montreal and Bagot.

Public Utilities Commission, notifying Council that the property of the Utilities Commission is endangered by sparks from the incinerator stack.

Nickle, Farrell & Day, re damages death of a horse belonging to Oliver C. Robinson and Leon C. Marrison.

Board of Works.

James H. Gordon claim for damages for injury on account of accident on Frontenac St.

Mrs. W. Clifford, re water in cellar North Macdonnell St.

Cawson Bros., re erection of dwellings on north end of Toronto St.

E. L. Ruddy, re bill board at Bagot and Dufferin Sts.

City Property.

Kingston Industrial Exhibition, re repairs to buildings at Fair Grounds.

PETITION.

Board of Works.

Ross McRae and others re repairs to Brock St.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 46 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, June 6th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the Greater Production Committee be granted One Hundred Dollars, if required.

2. That the appointment of a Caretaker for the Bathing Houses be left with the Mayor, salary to be the same as last year.

3. That Joseph B. Cooke be appointed a Member of the Board of Education to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Robert Meek.

4. That Fred. Welch be appointed on the Board of Directors of the Home for Aged and Infirm to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Robert Meek.

5. That a grant of Two Hundred Dollars per month be made to the Public Library beginning July 1st.

6. That the following accounts be paid:—

Kingston, Ont., June 6, 1918.

The following accounts are properly authorized and funds provided by By-law or Budget.

Board of Works.

Pay Roll ending May 28, 1918	$1749 08
W. B. Dalton & Sons, brooms	4 75
Finkle & Co., horse	40 60
Geo. Heaman, hose	18 00
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	4 74
Public Utilities Commission, service	11 50
	$1828 67

Fire and Light.

S. Anglin & Co., Lumber	$ 32 29
Canadian Express Co., service	1 30
W. B. Dalton & Sons, goods	15 53
E. G. Dennee, oats	414 54
Dunlop Rubber Goods Co., goods	45 88
Imperial Steam Laundry, service	7 65
Jas. Laturney Carriage Works, repairs	9 45
H. W. Marshall, goods	2 00
Harry K. Martin, supplies	12 50
Northern Electric Co., supplies	432 80
Public Utilities Commission	16 07
The Standard Printing & Pub. Co., adv. and printing	12 50
Morris Yampolsky, uniform clothing	382 50
	$1385 01

Street Lighting—Public Utilities Commission 6666 66

Parks Department

Pay Roll ending May 28, 1918 ..... $ 118 00

Registrar Office

The British Whig Pub. Co., stationery	$	1 35
Public Utilities Commission		2 57
	$	3 92

Printing.

The Jackson Press, printing	$	19 50
The Standard Printing & Pub. Co., printing		230 40
United Typewriter Co., printing		9 00
	$	258 90

Contingencies.

Canadian Express Co., express	$	1 10
Dr. P. Huyck, service		5 00
Mr. A Jack, service		5 24
Jury Pay List		24 00
L'Air Liquid Society, oxygen		1 50
T. McAuley, stamps		15 00
A. W. Shaw Co., subscription		3 50
	$	55 34

The following accounts have been authorized by Council but funds are not properly provided.

War Expenses.

Overseas Pay List	$	48 66
Canadian Locomotive Co., blue prints		3 00
	$	51 66

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. M. HUGHES, Mayor.
J. W. LITTON,
R. E. KENT,
H. W. NEWMAN,

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Newman (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carrid.

Board of Works.

Ald. Couper presented report No. 47 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, June 5th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That in order to assist in regulating the street traffic that the words "Keep to the right" be printed on the pavement at the intersecting street corners on Princes Street from King to Barrie St., and at the corners of King and Brock Sts.; that a white ring with a black border be painted in the centre of Princess St. at the point of intersection with the other streets; that the design and place of locaion be selected by the City Engineer; the expenses of the same to be paid by the Street Railway Company.

Respectfully submitted,

D. ALLAN BLACK.
J. W. LITTON,
A. SIMMONS,
J. W. SMITH,

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Black (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Chown presented report No. 48 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:—

June 3rd, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the Chairman be authorized to purchase coal for the City Buildings and Fire Halls.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) P. B. CHOWN,
J. HOOPER,
R. G. ARMSTRONG.
JAMES NORRIS,
W. P. PETERS.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Norris (4) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Couper presented By-law No. 19, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Newman in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 19, 1918.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 6, 1918.

Passed, June 10th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. Section 1 of By-law No. 6, 1918, is amended by striking out the name of Robert Meek in the last line and inserting the name of Fred. Welch.

2. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk. J. M. HUGHES, Mayor [L.S.]

Ald. Kent presented By-law No. 20, 1918. The by-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Simmons in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 20, 1918.

A by-law for borrowing $23,000.

Passed, June 10th, 1918.

WHEREAS the Public Utilities Commission of the City of Kingston have applied for the sum of $23,000 for the following purposes.

1. For the purchase of two motor generator sets, with auxiliary equipment therefor and their instalation for supplying electric power to the Street Railway, the sum of $9,987.

2. For the erection of a 3 phase, 60 cycle, 2200 volt Trunk Feeder, from the corner of Union and Alfred Streets to the Asylum Gate, to carry electric current to the Mowat Hospital, Rockwood Hospital, the Kingston Penitentiary and the Village of Portsmouth, the sum of $5,634.

3. For the building and equipping of an electric line from the corner of Clarence and King Streets to the Hosiery Mill on King Street, the sum of $3989.

4. For intalling a cable from the Western end of La Salle Causeway to the gateway of the Military College to carry current for said College and the Barriefield Camp the sum of $3,390.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to borrow the said sur of $23,000 for the said purposes and the said sum is the amour of debt intended to be created.

AND WHEREAS the Hydro Electric Power Commissio of Ontario have assented to the issue of debentures to th above amount to which said money is to be applied.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable pro perty of the Municipality according to the last revised asses ment roll is $13,463,300.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the debenture debt of th Corporation is $1,733,812.33, no part of the principal or in terest of which is in arrears.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Cou cil of the Corporation of the City of Kingston:

1. For the purposes mentioned in the preamble there sha be borrowed on the credit of the Corporation the sum o $23,000, and debentures shall be issued therefor on the insta ment plan in sums of not less than $100 each, which shall hav coupons attached thereto for the paymnet of the interest.

2. The debentures shall all bear the same date and sha be issued within two years after the date on which this By-la is passed and may bear any date within such two years an shall be payable in twenty annual instalments during the twe ty years next after the date when they shall be issued and sha bear interest at the rate of Six per cent per annum, payab half-yearly, and the respective amounts payable in each o such years shall be as set out in Schedule "A" hereto annexe and made part of this By-law.

3. The debentures shall be signed and issued by the Mayo and shall be signed also by the Treasurer and shall be seale with the seal of the Corporation and the coupons shall be sig ed by the Treasurer and the said debentures and coupons sha be payable at the office of the Treasurer in the City of Kingsto

4. During the currency of the debentures there shall b raised in each year the amount of the instalment of princip and interest payable in that year as set forth in the sai Schedule hereto annexed marked "A."

5. The debentures may contain any provision for the re gistration of them authorized by law.

6. This By-law shall take effect on the day of the passing hereof, subject to the approval thereof by the Municipal Board.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

"A"

STATEMENT SHOWING THE AMOUNT TO BE RAISED EACH YEAR FOR THE PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST FALLING DUE ON THE DEBT AUTHORIZED BY THE WITHIN BY-LAW.

Principal	Interest	Total
$ 600	$1,380.00	$1,980.00
700	1,344.00	2,044.00
700	1,302 00	2,002.00
700	1,260.00	1,960.00
800	1,218.00	2,018.00
800	1,170.00	1,970.00
900	1,122.00	2,022.00
900	1,068.00	1,968.00
1,000	1,014.00	2,014.00
1,100	954.00	2,054.00
1,100	888.00	1,988.00
1,200	822.00	2,022.00
1,300	750.00	2,050.00
1,300	672.00	1,972.00
1,400	594.00	1,994.00
1,500	510.00	2,010.00
1,600	420.00	2,020.00
1,700	324.00	2,024.00
1,800	222.00	2,022.00
1,900	114.00	2,014.00
$23,000		

Ald. Kent presented By-law No. 21, 1918. The By-la was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by tw thirds vote a second and third time the second being in con mittee of the whole, Ald. Simmons in the chair and was signe and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 21, 1918.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 3, 1918.

Passed, June 10th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation o the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. Section 1 of By-law No. 3, 1918, is hereby amended b striking out the name of Robert Meek in the first line there and inserting the name of Joseph B. Cooke.

2. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on it passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk. J. M. HUGHES, Mayor [L.S.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Peters, seconded by Ald. J. W. Smith (5 that the petition of J. G. Nussey and others to place a ligh on the corner of Division and Raglan Road be granted.—Los

Moved by Ald. White, seconded by Ald. J. W. Smith (6 that whereas the Kingston Industrial Agricultural Society ha by resolution accepted the arrangement as proposed in Claus 2, Report No. 44, Minutes of Council, 1918, with exception tha they request the privilege of depositing the Association's not for $1500 instead of cash with the City Treasurer, that thi Council will accept the personal notes of the Directors an that the City Solicitor prepare the agreement, and the Mayo is hereby authorized to sign on behalf of the Corporation.— Carried.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Peters (7) that he Collector of Taxes is hereby instructed to leave the collection of Taxes against the property of Mrs. Ann Townsend, 83 Victoria St. in abeyance, said taxes to become a charge against said property.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Armstrong (8) hat tenders be called for lease of Market No. 2 and that the hairman of City Property and Markets Committee and City lerk be authorized to award same to the highest tenderer.—arried.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Hooper (9) that ivic Holiday be held on Monday, July 29th, 1918.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. White (10) that his Council tender Ald. G. C. Wright their sincere sympathy n his rcent bereavement caused by the death of his Mother, hat a copy be sent to Ald. Wright.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Black, seconded by Ald. Anglin (11) that uring the adjournment of Council the City Auditor be authorzed to pass for payment monthly on account of street lighting he sum of $1,666.66.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Peters, seconded by Ald. Simmons (12) hat when Council adjourns this evening that it stands adourned until the regular meeting on the 14th day of October, 918, and notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the City 3y-laws, the City Treasurer be authorized to pay all accounts uring vacation every two weeks the same as if Council met n regular session, when same have been certified to by the City Auditor and signed by the Chairman of the various Committees.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Newman, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.30 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

Kingston, June 14th, 1918.

We, the undersigned Members of Council, hereby authorize the Committee on City Property and Markets to make repairs to the fence at the Fair Grounds, cost not to exceed Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars:—

J. M. HUGHES, Mayor,
S. S. CORBETT,
JAMES NORRIS,
D. J. MILLAN,
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN,
A. SIMMONS,
H. W. NEWMAN,
P. B. CHOWN,
W. J. B. WHITE,
W. P. PETERS,
R. E. KENT,
JOSEPH HOOPER,
D. COUPER,
N. E. O'CONNOR.

June 26th, 1918.

A Special Meeting of the City Council was held this evening at 8 P.M., His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Norris, N. A. Smith, Peters.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (1) that in the absence of the City Clerk R. J. McClelland act as City Clerk.—Carried.

The Mayor explained that the Meeting was called to consider the application of the Board of Education for $16,000 for improvements to the schools.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Armstrong (2) that application be made to the proper authorities of the Do-

minion Government to issue $13,000 debentures for improvements to the Public Schools and High School and that a By-law be prepared for same and presented to a future special meeting of this Council.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. N. A. Smith, seconded by Ald. Peters (3) that the Property Committee use their best endeavors to put the grand stand at the Fair Grounds in safe condition for use on Labor Day.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Chown (4) that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.10 P.M.

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

June 28th, 1918.

A Special Meeting of the City Council was held this evening at 8 P.M., His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present: — Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Clugston, Chown, Hewitt, Hooper, Kent, Millan, Norris, Newman, Peters, Simmons, N. A. Smith, J. W. Smith, White, Wright.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (1) that in the absence of the City Clerk the Auditor act as City Clerk for this special meeting of the Council.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Chown presented By-law No. 22, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. J. W. Smith in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:—

A resolution presented during the second reading that the Committee rise and report progress was defeated.

BY-LAW NO. 22, 1918.

A By-law for borrowing $8,500.

Passed June 28th, 1918.

WHEREAS the Board of Education of the City of Kingston has applied to this Council to pass a By-law for borrowing the sum of $8,500 by the issue and sale of debentures of this Corporation, for the purpose of making permanent improvements to the public school property and for the purchase of school apparatus and equipment for public schools, and this is the amount of the debt intended to be created.

AND WHEREAS in the opinion of this Council it is expedient to grant the said application and to pass the said By-law.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the Municipality according to the last revised assessment roll is $13,463,300.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the debenture debt of the Corporation is $1,733,812.33, no part of the principal or interest of which is in arrear.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston.

1. For the purpose mentioned in the preamble there shall be borrowed on the credit of the Corproation the sum of $8,500 and debentures shall be issued therefor on the instalment plan in sums of not less than $100 each which shall have coupons attached thereto for the payment of the interest.

2. The debentures shall all bear the same date and shall be issued within two years after the date on which this By-law is passed and may bear any date within such two years and shall be payable in twenty annual instalments during the twenty years after the date when they shall be issued and shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum payable half-yearly and the respective amounts payable in each of such years shall be as set out in Schedule "A" hereto annexed and made part of this By-law.

3. The debentures shall be signed and issued by the Mayor and shall be signed also by the Treasurer and shall be sealed with the seal of the Corporation and the coupons shall be signed by the Treasurer and the said debentures and coupons shall be payable at the office of the Treasurer in the City of Kingston.

4. During the currency of the debentures there shall be raised in each year the amount of the instalment of principal and interest payable in that year, as set forth in the said Schedule hereto annexed marked "A", by an annual special rate sufficient therefor to be levied on all the property of the ratepayers in the said Municipality who are supporters of public schools.

5. The debentures may contain any provision for the registration of them authorized by law.

6. This By-law shall take effect on the day of the passing thereof.

(Signed)

A. H. MUIR,
Acting City Clerk.

J. M. HUHGES,
Mayor [L.S.]

"A"

STATEMENT SHOWING THE AMOUNT TO BE RAISED EACH YEAR FOR THE PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST FALLING DUE ON THE DATE AUTHORIZED BY THE ANNEXED BY-LAW.

Year	Principal	Interest	Total
1	200	510	710
2	200	498	698
3	300	486	786
4	300	468	768
5	300	450	750
6	300	432	732
7	300	414	714
8	300	396	696
9	400	378	778
10	400	354	754
11	400	330	730
12	400	306	706
13	500	282	782
14	500	252	752
15	500	222	722
16	600	192	792
17	600	156	756
18	600	120	720
19	700	84	784
20	700	42	742

Ald. Newman presented By-law No. 23, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. N. A. Smith in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 23, 1918.

A By-law for borrowing $4,500.

Passed June 28th, 1918.

WHEREAS the Board of Education for the City of Kingston has applied to this Council to pass a By-law for borrowing the sum of $4,500, by the issue and sale of debentures of this Corporation for the purpose of making permanent improvements to the Kingston Collegiate Institute and for improving said school for High School purposes, and this is the amount of the debt intended to be created.

AND WHEREAS in the opinion of this Council it is expedient to grant the said application and to pass the said By-law.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the Municipality according to the last revised assessment roll is $13,463,300.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the debenture debt of the Corporation is $1,733,812.33 no part of the principal or interest of which is in arrear.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston.

1. For the purpose mentioned in the preamble there shall be borrowed on the credit of the Corporation the sum of $4,500 and debentures shall be issued therefor on the instalment plan in sums of not less than $100 each which shall have coupons attached thereto for the payment of the interest.

2. The debentures shall all bear the same date and shall be issued within two years after the date on which this By-law is passed and may bear any date within such two years and shall be payable in twenty annual instalments during the twenty years next after the date when they shall be issued and shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly and the respective amounts payable in each of such years shall be as set out in Schedule "A" herto annexed and made part of this By-law.

3. The debentures shall be signed and issued by the Mayor and shall be signed also by the Treasurer and shall be sealed with the seal of the Corporation and the coupons shall be payable at the office of the Treasurer in the City of Kingston.

4. During the currency of the debentures there shall be raised in each year the amount of the instalment of principal and interest payable in that year, as set forth in the said Schedule hereto annexed marked "A", by an annual special rate sufficient therefor to be levied on all the property of the ratepayers in said Muncipality who are supporters of High Schools.

5. The debentures may contain any provision for the registration of them authorized by law.

6. This By-law shall take effect on the day of the passing thereof.

(Signed)

A. H. MUIR,
Acting City Clerk.

J. M. HUHGES,
Mayor [L.S.]

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STATEMENT SHOWING THE AMOUNT TO BE RAISED EACH YEAR FOR THE PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST FALLING DUE ON THE DATE AUTHORIZED BY THE ANNEXED BY-LAW.

Year	Principal	Interest	Total
1	100	270	370
2	150	264	414
3	150	255	405
4	150	246	396
5	150	237	387
6	150	228	378
7	200	219	419
8	200	207	407
9	200	195	395
10	200	183	383
11	200	171	371
12	250	159	407
13	250	144	394
14	250	129	379
15	300	114	414
16	300	96	396
17	300	78	378
18	300	60	360
19	300	42	342
20	400	24	424

PETITION.

W. F. Spankie and others to construct a sewer in Toronto Street from Dundas St. southerly to Brock St. thence easterly on Brock St. to connect with the sewer in Victoria St.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Clugston (2) that the petition for sewer in Toronto St. be granted, it being sufficiently signed.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. White that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10.20 P.M.

JOHN M. HUGHES, Mayor.

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

Kingston, July 23rd, 1918.

A special meeting of the City Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Corbett, Hewitt, Kent, Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, N. A. Smith, White, Wright.

The Mayor explained that he had called a special meeting for the purpose of considering a By-law to appoint an Officer in accordance with the provisions of the Ontario Temperance Act, and also to confirm an Agreement between the Corporation and James Richardson and others in regard to the erection of a bath house.

Ald. Couper presented By-law No. 24, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. White in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 24, 1918.

A By-law to appoin tan Officer to enforce the provisions of "The Ontario Temperance Act" in this Municipality.

Passed July 23rd, 1918.

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:

1. Robert W. Nesbitt is hereby appointed an Officer to enforce the provisions of "The Ontario Temperance Act", being Chapter 50 of the Ontario Statutes 6 George V, 1918, at a salary of nil per annum, such appointment to take effect from the 11th day of June, 1918.

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

Ald. Clugston presented By-law No. 25, 1918.

The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended, Council went into Committee of the whole on the second reading.

BY-LAW NO. 25, 1918.

A By-law to ratify and confirm an agreement with James A. Richardson, Agnes M Richardson and William F. Nickle.

Passed.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. The agreement hereto annexed and forming the schedule to this By-law is hereby ratified and confirmed.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

Moved by Ald. Newman that the Mayor and City Clerk confer with James A. Richardson, Agnes Richardson and William F. Nickle regarding the conditions in the Schedule attached to By-law, and that the Committee rise and report progress.—Carried.

Schedule to By-law No. 25, 1918.

THIS INDENTURE made this day of A.D. 1918,

Between:

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, hereinafter called the Corporation,

Of the First Part,

and

JAMES A. RICHARDSON, AGNES M. RICHARDSON and W. F. NICKLE, hereinafter called "the donors",

Of the Second Part:

WHEREAS the late Captain George Taylor Richardson by his will left a sum of money to the said William F. Nickle for the erection of a public bathing house in the City of Kingston and the said James A. Richardson and Agnes M. Richardson are prepared to add to said sum and erect a bathing house upon the following terms, which have been agreed to by said Corporation.

THEREFORE it is agreed by and between the said parties hereto as follows:—

The said donors shall proceed and erect within a reasonable time a public bathing house, in accordance with the plan prepared by Bernard H. Prack and now produced, on the site hereinafter named.

The said Corporation provides as a site a part of Macdonald Park on the water front between Emily Street and the Band Stand to be designated by the City Engineer and approved by the said donors.

The said Corporation agrees with the said donors, their executors and administrators, to properly maintain, keep and operate said bathing house and to keep it open to the public from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. during the months of June, July, August and September and as much longer in each year as it may think desirable.

The said Corporation further agrees with the donors, their executors and administrators, to maintain a free open air skating rink in front of said Bathing Houce, on the ice of the river during the months of January and February in each year.

The said Corporation agrees with the said donors to expend each year at least the sum of $800 in the maintenance and care of said Bathing House and Rink.

As witness the Corporate Seal of said party of the First Part, attested by the hands of the Mayor and City Clerk, and in witness whereof the said parties of the Second Part have hereunto set their hands and seals.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered,

In the Presence of

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Clugston, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9 p.m.

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

Kingston, Ont., July 4, 1918.

Re Work at the Fair Grounds.

I certify that the deposits specified in the agreement between the Corporation and the Kingston Industrial Fair Association have been made and are now in my hands.

O. V. BARTELS,
City Treasurer.

We, the undersigned Aldermen, hereby instruct the City Engineer to do the work in connection with repairs to the Buildings at the Fair Grounds by day labor. The expenditure not to exceed $2,500, in accordance with the agreement between the Corporation and the Kingston Industrial Fair Association.

(Signed) N. E. O'CONNOR,
(Signed) H. W. NEWMAN,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN.
W. P. PETERS.
P. B. CHOWN,
A. SIMMONS,
D. COUPER.
R. E. KENT,
D. ALLAN BLACK.
T. HEWITT,
J. HOOPER,
N. A. SMITH,
D. J. MILLAN,
R. G. ARMSTRONG.
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
WM. R. CLUGSTON,

Kingston, Sept. 3rd, 1918.

A special meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Corbett, Hooper, Peters, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith, Wright.

Ald. Simmons presented a petition of Wm. F. Spankie and others to construct a tile sewer in Toronto Street from Dundas St. southerly to Brock St., thence easterly along Brock St. to connect with sewer in Victoria St.; also a petition from Geo. A. Bateman and others to construct a tile sewer in York St. from Alfred St. westerly 200 ft. These petitions were certified by the Clerk as being sufficiently signed.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. W. Smith (1) that the petition of Geo. A. Bateman and others for a sewer on York St. and of Wm. F. Spankie and others for a sewer in Toronto St. be granted, said petitions having been certified by the City Clerk as sufficiently signed.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. Couper (2), that the sum of $10,000.00 be granted to the Navy League of Canada, the amount to be raised by the issue of debentures and a By-law be passed accordingly.—Carried.

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Couper presented By-law No. 26, 1918. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Armstrong in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 26, 1918.

A By-law for the appointment of an Engineer under The Ditches and Watercourses Act.

Passed Sept. 3rd, 1918.

The Municipal Council of the City of Kingston, in the County of Frontenac, enacts as follows:—

1. Pursuant to the provisions of The Ditches and Watercourses Act, Richard J. McClelland, of the City of Kingston, City Engineer, is hereby appointed Engineer for this Municipality to carry out the provisions of the said Act.

2. The Engineer shall be paid the following fees for services rendered under the Act:

For attending to examine locality and take evidence; for every hour employed, $1.

For making his award with plans and specifications, $20.

For letting work on non-performance, $10.

For inspecting work, per hour, $1.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk. J. M. HUGHES, [L.S.] Mayor.

Ald. Couper presented By-law No. 27, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Anglin in the chair, and was signed and sealed, as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 27, 1918.

A By-law to authorize the construction of sewers in the streets and parts of streets in the City of Kingston, set out in the Schedule hereto annexed as Local Improvements under the provisions of the Local Improvement Act.

Passed Sept. 3rd, 1918.

WHEREAS George A. Bateman and others have petitioned the Council to construct as a local improvement the work described as number one in the annexed schedule, and the Clerk has certified that the petition therefor is sufficient, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the petition in manner hereinafter provided.

AND WHEREAS William F. Spankie and others have petitioned the Council to construct as a local improvement the work described as number two in the annexed schedule, and the Clerk has certified that the petition therefor is sufficient, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the petition in manner hereinafter provided.

AN DWHEREAS the Provincial Board of Health has approved of the construction of both the said sewers.

WHEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston enacts as follows:

1. That the two sewers described in the said annexed Schedule be each constructed as a local improvement under the provisions of the Local Improvement Act.

2. The Engineer of the Corporation do forthwith make such plans, profiles and specifications and furnish such information as may be necessary for the making of a contract for the execution of the works.

3. The works shall be carried on and executed under the superintendence and according to the directions and orders of such Engineer.

4. The Mayor and Clerk are authorized to cause a contract or contracts for the construction of the works to be made and entered into with some person or persons, firm or corporation, subject to the approval of this Council to be declared by resolution.

5. The Treasurer may (subject to the approval of the Council) agree with any bank or person for the temporary advances of money to meet the cost of the works pending the completion of it.

6. The special assessments shall be paid by twenty (20) annual instalments (which is within the lifetime of each of the works).

7. The debentures to be issued for the loan to be effected to pay the cost of the works when completed shall bear interest at a rate to be fixed by a money by-law to be hereafter passed by Council, and be made payable within twenty (20) years on the sinking fund plan, and, in settling the sum to be raised annually to pay the debt, the rate of interest on investments shall not be estimated at more than the then current rate per annum.

8. Any person whose lot is specially assessed may commute for a payment in cash the special rates imposed thereon by paying the portion of the cost of construction assessed upon such lot, without the interest, forthwith after the Special Assessment Roll has been certified by the Clerk and at any time thereafter by the payment of such sums as when invested at the then current rate per annum, will provide an annuity sufficient to pay the special rates for the unexpired portion of the term as they fall due.

9. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

SCHEDULE

Street or Avenue	Estimated Cost of Total Improvement.	Portion of the Estimated Cost to be borne by the Municipality.	Estimated Special Rate Per Foot Frontage.	Number of annual Instalment by which the Special Assessment is to be payable.
No. 1				
York St. from Alfred St. westerly 200 feet	$ 647 40	$ 206 30	1.3892	20
No. 2				
Toronto St. from Dundas St. southerly to Brock St., thence easterly along Brock St. to connect with sewer in Victoria St.	6600 00	1548 55	3.0176	20

Ald. Wright presented By-law No. 28, 1918. The By-law was read a first time, and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Black in the chair, and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 28, 1918.

A By-law to grant and raise by way of loan the sum of $10,000, for patriotic purposes.

Passed the 3rd day of September, 1918.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Ontario Legislature, George V, Chapter 37, entitled "An Act to Authorize and Confirm Grants by Municipal Corporations for Patriotic Purposes," and the amendments thereto, any Municipal Corporation may pass by-laws for granting aid to The Navy League and the other patriotic purposes therein set out.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to grant said sum and to borrow the said sum for the said purposes and the said sum is the amount of debt intended to be created.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the Municipality according to the last revised Assessment Roll is $13,463,300.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the debenture debt of the Corporation is $1,733,812.33, no part of the principal or interest of which is in arrear.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston:

1. The said sum of $10,000 is hereby granted to The Navy League and for that purpose there shall be borrowed on the credit of the Corporation the said sum of $10,000 and debentures shall be issued therefor on the instalment plan in sums of not less than $100 each which shall have coupons attached thereto for the payment of the interest.

2. The debentures shall all bear the same date and shall be issued within two years after the date on which this By-

law is passed and may bear any date within such two years and shall be payable in twenty annual instalments during the twenty years next after the date when they shall be issued and shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, and the respective amounts payable in each of such years shall be as set out in Schedule "A" hereto annexed and made part of this By-law.

3. The debentures shall be signed and issued by the sealed with the seal of the Corporation and the coupons shall be signed by the Treasurer and the said debentures and coupons shall be payable at the office of the Treasurer in the City of Kingston.

4. During the currency of the debentures there shall be raised in each year by a special rate levied on all the rateable property as provided by said Act the amount of the instalment of principal anl interest payable in that year as set forth in the said schedule hereto annexed marked "A."

5. The debentures may contain any provision for the registration of them authorized by law.

6. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its being approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Peters (3), that the Kingston Gentlemen's Driving and Matinee Club be allowed the use of the Fair Grounds and track to hold horse races on Thanksgiving Day, 1918.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Armstrong (4), that the moneys received from the insurance companies for damage by lightning to the building at the Fair Grounds be

transferred from the General Fund to the Building or Repair Fund contributed by the Fair Association and City.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Hooper (5), that the following agreement be made between the Corporation and the Kingston Gentlemen's Driving and Matinee Club: The Kingston Gentlemen's Driving and Matinee Club will give $200 towards converting the Poultry Shed at the Fair Grounds into a horse barn, and the city will give them free use of the barn and race track for two years for this contribution. In case the Club desires to further contribute to the repairs of this or other building the city will give free use of the barn and track each subsequent year in which they make a contribution of $100. All work to be done under the supervision of the City Engineer. This arrangement is not to prevent the city from giving the use of said barn and track to anyone else for a special day or days, and to become null and void in case the city wants it for any other purpose. That the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized to sign an Agreement prepared by the City Solicitor in accordance with the above.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Hooper, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.30 p.m.

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

Kingston, Ont., Aug. 13, 1918.

We, the undersigned members of Council, authorize the Inspector of Garbage and Refuse to increase the pay of George Phillips, helper, from 20c. per hour to 22c. per hour, same to be effective from July 29th, 1918.

H. W. NEWMAN
R. E. KENT
N. E. O'CONNOR
W. P. PETERS
D. COUPER
P. B. CHOWN
S. S. CORBETT
T. HEWITT
W. J. B. WHITE
D. ALLAN BLACK
JOSEPH HOOPER
D. J. MILLAN

September 27th, 1918.

We the undersigned members of Council hereby authorize payment of the Board of Works Pay List ending Sept. 27th, the Board of Works not having sufficient appropriation to cover this Pay List, which amounts to about $2,000. The amount of this Pay List is for work done for street repair, etc.

N. E. O'CONNOR, Chairman Board of Works
J. M. HUGHES, Mayor
J. HOOPER
D. ALLAN BLACK
T. HEWITT
R. E. KENT
WM. P. PETERS
W. J. B. WHITE
P. B. CHOWN
A. SIMMONS
D. COUPER
JAMES NORRIS
D. J. MILLAN
NORMAN A. SMITH
JOHN W. LITTON

September 30th, 1918.

A special meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Norris, Newman, Peters, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith, Wright.

The Mayor explained that he had called the meeting on account of having received a communication from the Trades and Labor Council of this City and the Fuel Administrator for the Province re the appointment of a Local Fuel Commissioner, and also for general business.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Secretary of the Kingston Trades and Labor Council re appointment of Fuel Commissioner.

Fuel Administrator of Ontario re appointment of Fuel Commissioner.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Kent (1) that the appointment of a Fuel Commissioner for this City be made, that Finance Committee recommend a person for the position, stating the salary, if any, and recommend the same to this Council at a meeting to be held not later than Monday evening, Oct. 7th, 1918.—Carried on the following division:—

Yeas—Mayor Hughes, Ald. Anglin, Black, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Norris, Newman, Peters, Simmons, N. A. Smith, Wright. (15).

Nays—Ald. Armstrong, J. W. Smith. (2).

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Newman presented By-law No. 29, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rules being suspended by two-thirds vote, a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Corbett in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 29, 1918.

A By-law to amend By-law No. 40, 1917, a By-law to amend the By-law regulating traffic in the public streets of the City of Kingston.

Passed, Sept. 30th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows:—

1. Section 4 of By-law No. 40, 1917, is hereby amended by changing the word "ten" in the third line to "thirty."

2. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS, City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES, Mayor [L.S.]

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Chown (2) that the Committee on Fire and Light be given power to call for tenders for winter trousers and pea jackets for the Department.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Corbett, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.30 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

October 7th, 1918.

A special meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock.

Present:—Ald. Anglin, Armstrong, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hewitt, Kent, Norris, Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, N. A. Smith, White, Wright.

Moved by Ald. Armstrong, seconded by Ald. Couper (1) that Ald. Kent be appointed to act as Mayor pro tem.—Carried.

Ald. Corbett presented report No. 49 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, October 3rd, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That E. E. Horsey be appointed Fuel Commissioner at a salary of One Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars ($125.00) per month, he to supply his own clerical assistance, duties to commence at once, and end April 1st, 1919; the Corporation to supply an office in the City Buildings.

(Signed) R. E. KENT,
S. S. CORBETT,
H. W. NEWMAN,
N. E. O'CONNOR.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. O'Connor (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Hewitt, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.
Council adjourned at 8.30 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

Oct. 15th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Chown, Corbett, Hooper, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Millan, Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, N. A. Smith, Wright, White.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Corbett (1) that the Minutes as printed be adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

J. E. Jones asking to have one quarter of the year's Auctioneer's license refunded.

Dr. Hastings, Toronto, re Convention Chicago, Oct. 14-17.

Board of Works.

F. H. Hamilton, re grading on Alfred St.

Wm. Bauden, re grading on Alfred St.

PETITION.

Board of Works.

John Peters and others for concrete walk on Albert St. west side. City Clerk reported that this petition was sufficiently signed.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 50 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, October 10th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the accounts as presented by the Auditor for which funds have not been provided for in the Budget be paid. These include War Expenses, amounting to $460.57, Public Library $600.00, and James Evans $187.85.

2. That further appropriations be made to the following Committees:—

Board of Works	$2,000
City Property	710

3. That the Mayor be authorized to sign a bond for this Corporation indemnifying James M. Farrell, Executor of the late William M. Baillie, Mr. Farrell agreeing to turn over the sum of $112.00, said sum having been taken from Thomas Demitro while in custody at the Police Station, and held by the late Chief of Police.

4. That Alderman Corbett and the City Auditor be authorized to purchase a filing cabinet for the Auditor's Office.

5. That this Committee having taken into consideration the great increase in the cost of living and having made comparison of the salaries of officials of this City with other Cities in Ontario and other Provinces, and knowing that Kingston's Officials are giving excellent and efficient service, that the officials named below be paid the following salaries to date from Oct. 1st, 1918:

City Clerk	$2500	per annum
Tax Collector	1600	per annum
City Treasurer	2000	per annum
City Auditor	1600	per annum

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. M. HUGHES, Mayor.
S. S. CORBETT
R. E. KENT
J. W. LITTON
H. W. NEWMAN
N. E. O'CONNOR
GEO. C. WRIGHT

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 51 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, October 9th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That this Corporation accepts the offer of the Kingston Street Railway to pay the sum of $250.00 as their share of the cost of repairs made to Alfred St. between Princess and Union St.

2. That the petition of John Peters for a concrete walk on the west side of Albert St. be granted, being sufficiently signed.

3. That the Engineer's expenses attending the Convention of the American Society of Municipal Improvement at Buffalo amounting to $39.25 be paid.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) N. E. O'CONNOR,
J. W. LITTON,
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
A. SIMMONS,
D. ALLAN BLACK.

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Wright (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted. —Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 52 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

Kingston, October 10th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the following tender of Morris Yampolsky be accepted:—

13 pairs of trousers for firemen, at $9.15 each	$118.95
3 pairs trousers for officers, at $14.25 each	42.75
2 pea jackets for firemen, at $21.00 each	42.00
3 pea jackets for officers, at $26.00 each	78.00

2. That authority be given this Committee to call for and award tenders for concrete floor in shed No. 2.

3. That the following expenses in connection with the accident to firemen be paid:—

Dr. MacCallum, attendance on Jas. Turner	$22.00
Hotel Dieu, attendance on Jas. Turner	16.00
Dr. Angrove, attendance on Thos. Lawlor	6.00
General Hospital, Chief J. Armstrong	10.50

4. That the Reo Motor Truck which has been in use by the Fire Dept. for the past three months be purchased from George W. Boyd, for the sum of $1300, this price to include spare tire and carrier and complete with speedometer, and guaranteed for one year from defective parts.

5. That on Dec. 1st, or as soon as possible after that date the Fire Department be placed at sufficient strength so as to be divided into two shifts of nine men and a Chief, each shift being on duty for 12 hours or whatever other hours may be mutually agreed upon, alternating every fortnight as to day and night duty. Proper rules and regulations to be issued by the Chief under which members may be required in emergency or sickness to be on duty for longer hours than specified, and that each man shall as at present respond to all alarms whether on or off duty. No meal hours or days off being allowed under this system other than annual vacations.

6. That the Chief be instructed to use coke in place of hard coal wherever practicable in the warmer weather, with a view of conserving hard coal.

(Signed) J. W. LITTON,
D. J. MILLAN,
T. HEWITT,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN.
P. B. CHOWN,
W. J. B. WHITE,

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. White (4) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald. Corbett presented report No. 53 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:—

Kingston, October 8th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Property and Markets begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the City Treasurer be instructed to pay to the Caretaker the 10% allowed by the Provincial Government for selling the Amusement Tax tickets.

2. That the City Treasurer be instructed to rent the City Hall for dances to continue up to 1 A.M. at the present rental, and to charge at the rate of $5.00 per hour for every hour after 1 A.M., and that $1.00 of said $5.00 be paid to the Caretaker for his services.

3. That the rental of the market shambles for Auction sales be $3.00 per day, $2.00 to be paid to the Corporation and $1.00 to provide for cleaning.

(Signed) S. S. CORBETT,
P. B. CHOWN,
J. HOOPER,
D. J. MILLAN,
W. P. PETERS.
R. G. ARMSTRONG.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Hooper (5) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Health.

Ald. Newman presented report No. 54 from the Committee on City Health as follows:—

Kingston, October 9th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Health begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the Public Utilities Commission be asked to erect a rolling door at the opening which was recently made for their accommodation in the wall of the Incinerator building.

2. That the wages of the teamsters be increased from 35c. to 40c. per hour; that Levi Wilson be increased from 25c. to 30c. per hour; that the spare man be increased from 22 to 22½c. per hour; dump trimmer from 20 to 22½c. per hour; and that the salary of Inspector Timmerman be increased from

$800 to $850, per annum, said increases to date from Oct. 1st, 1918.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) H. W. NEWMAN,
T. HEWITT,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (6) that the report of City Health Committee be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. O'Connor presented By-law No. 30, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Chown in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 30, 1918.

A By-law to authorize the construction of a concrete walk on that part of the West side of Albert Street in the City of Kingston, set out in the schedule hereto annexed, as a local improvement under the provisions of "The Local Improvement Act."

Passed, 15th October, 1918.

WHEREAS John Peters and another have petitioned the Council to construct as a local improvement, the work hereinafter described and in the schedule hereto annexed, and the Clerk has certified that the petition is sufficient and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the petition in the manner hereinafter provided.

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston enact as follows:—

1. That a concrete walk be constructed as a local improvement under the provisions of the Local Improvement Act, on the West side of Albert Street, in the City of Kingston, from a point one hundred and thirty-eight feet north of Princess Street northerly for a distance of three hundred and fifteen feet.

2. The Engineer of the Corporation do forthwith make such plans, profiles and specifications and furnish such information as may be necessary for the making of a contract for the execution of the work.

3. The work shall be carried on and executed under the superintendence and according to the directions and orders of such Engineer.

4. The Mayor and Clerk are authorized to cause a contract for the construction of the work to be made and entered into with some person or persons, firm or corporation, subject to the approval of this Council to be delivered by resolution.

5. The Treasurer may (subject to the approval of the Council) agree with any bank or person for temporary advances of money to meet the cost of the work pending the completion of it.

6. The Special Assessment shall be paid by twenty annual instalments (which is the lifetime of the work).

7. The debentures to be issued for the loan to be effected to pay for the cost of the work when completed shall bear interest at a rate to be fixed by a money by-law to be hereafter passed by the Council, and be made payable within twenty years on the sinking fund plan, and, in settling the sum to be raised annually to pay the debt the rate of interest on investments shall not be estimated at more than four per cent. per annum.

8. Any person whose lot is specially assessed may commute for a payment in cash the special rates imposed thereon by paying the portion of the cost of construction assessed upon such lot, without the interest, forthwith after the Special Assessment Roll has been certified by the Clerk and at any time thereafter by the payment of such sum as when invested at

four per cent. per annum will provide an annuity sufficient to pay the special rates for the unexpired portion of the term as they fall due.

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES, [L.S.]
Mayor.

SCHEDULE

Street of Avenue	Estimated Cost of Total Improvement	Portion of the Estimated Cost to be borne by the Municipality	Estimated Special Rate per Foot Frontage	Number of annual Instalments by which the Special Assessment is to be Payable
Albert, west side, from a point 138 feet north of Princess St., northerly 315 feet	$472 50	$206 10	$1 50	20

Ald. O'Connor presented By-law No. 31. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two thirds vote the Council went into the Committee of the whole on the second reading, Ald. Corbett in the chair. Moved by Ald. O'Connor that the Committee rise and report progress.—Carried.

The By-law is as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 31, 1918.

A By-law to amend that part of the By-law respecting Streets, being By-law No. 29 of the Revised By-laws, 1907, which relates to the removal of snow, ice, etc.

Passed,

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, as follows:—

Section 79 of the By-law respecting Streets, being By-law No. 29 of the Revised By-laws 1907, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:—

"All occupants of buildings adjoining any Highway in the City of Kingston shall clear away and remove the snow and ice from the roofs of such buildings from time to time when and so often as it may be necessary for the safety of the public and whenever required to do so by any City Officer or by a member of the Police Force, such removal to be made in all cases without any unnecessary delay."

Section 80 of said By-law is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof.

"All occupants of buildings adjoining any highway in the City of Kingston shall clear away and remove snow and ice from the sidewalks adjoining their premises from time to time within six hours after the snow or ice has fallen or gathered upon or formed upon such sidewalk, and in removing such snow or ice no injury shall be done to the said sidewalk."

Section 81 of said By-law is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:—

"In case the snow or ice is not cleared away or removed from the roofs of unoccupied buildings adjoining a highway in the City of Kingston, and from the sidewalks adjoining the premises and adjoining vacant land in the said City, within six hours after it has fallen, gathered or formed, the said snow and ice shall be cleaned away and removed at the expense of

the owner and such expense shall be collected and recovered either by action or in like manner as municipal taxes."

Section 83 of said By-law is repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:—

"The City Engineer shall cause the sidewalks in the principal thoroughfares in the City to be sanded if in his judgment it is advisable and necessary to do so."

This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its passing.

(Signed)

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

MOTIONS.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Corbett that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.30 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

October 28th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Chown, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Millan, Newman, O'Connor, Simmons, N. A. Smith.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Chown (1) that Ald. Kent preside at this meeting in the absence of the Mayor. —Carried.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Black (2) that the Minutes of last meeting be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

City of London re Bell Telephone Co's application to the Dominion Railway Board.

Trades and Labor Council re refund rental City Hall.

Fire and Light.

Trades and Labor Council re repeal of By-law No. 49.

Bricklayers', Masons' and Plasterers' Union re question of By-law No. 49.

PETITION.

Board of Works.

Dan Dougherty and others for tile sewer on Adelaide St.

Fire and Light.

Sam Conley, re light Cor. Adelaide and Lansdowne Sts.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Newman presented report No. 55 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, Oct. 24th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. Whereas the Bell Telephone Company has an application before the Dominion Railway Board re prices of telephones, etc., that this Corporation is opposed to said application, and will join other Canadian Cities in opposition to said application, and that a delegation appointed by the Mayor attend a Convention of other Cities for the purpose of discussing the question.

2. That the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized to make emergency expenditures for the Fuel Commissioner.

3. That this Corporation purchase from Armstrong and Cook a strip of land on the East side of Toronto Street for the sum of $100.00.

4. That a By-law be passed by the Corporation appointing Chief Nesbitt License Inspector in place of Samuel J. Arniel.

5. That the accounts of the Toronto General Hospital for treatment Jean Wright amounting to $137.50 be paid.

6. That the following accounts be paid:—

Kingston, Ont., Oct. 24th, 1918.

His Worship the Mayor and Members Finance Committee.

Gentlemen,—The following is a list of the accounts which have been properly authorized and for which funds are provided for by budget.

Fire and Light.

Dr. H. Angrove, services	$	6 00
Geo. Boyd, motor truck	1300	00
Hotel Dieu, service	16	00
Kngston General Hospital, service	10	50
Dr. E. C. D. MacCallum, service	22	00
Public Utilties Commission, service	1678	13
	$3032	63

Industrial Schools.

Alexander Industrial School, maintenance	$	51 06
St. John's Industrial School, maintenance	102	12
Victoria Industrial School, maintenance	241	24
	$ 394	42

Amusement Tax.

Canadian Express Co., express	$	40

Printing.

Hanson, Crozier & Edgar, supplies	$	3 10
Thos. McAuley, supplies		15 90
Standard Printing & Pub. Co., supplies		6 75
	$	25 75

Sinking Fund Committee.

Pay List, Commission for selling bonds	$	266 00

The following accounts have been authorized by Council but funds have not been provided for by by-law or budget.

Board of Works.

County of Frontenac, tarvia	$	47 00
W. B. Dalton & Sons, brooms		3 75
J. W. Lytle, glass		1 25
R. J. McClelland, travelling expenses		39 25
McKelvey & Birch Limited, supplies		22 76
Roddy & Monk, stone		610 00
	$	724 01

Fuel Control.

Hanson, Crozier & Edgar, supplies	$	21 00
Thos. McAuley, supplies		7 15
	$	28 15

War Expense.

Public Utilities Commission, service	$	43 79
Standard Printing & Pub. Co., Ads.		53 20
	$	96 99

Respectfully submitted,

A. H. MUIR, City Auditor.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. E. KENT,
H. W. NEWMAN,
N. E. O'CONNOR.
J. W. LITTON,

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. O'Connor (3) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 56 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, Oct. 23rd, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the request of the Kingston, Portsmouth and Cataraqui Street Railway for sewer at Barrack and Bagot Sts. be granted; that the City Engineer contruct said sewer after having received an undertaking from the Street Railway to pay the cost of same.

2. That the matter of cutting the wood at the Fair Grounds into stove wood be referred to the Chairman and City Engineer with power to act.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) N. E. O'CONNOR,
A. SIMMONS,
J. W. LITTON,
D. ALLAN BLACK.

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Simmons (4) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted. —Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 57 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

Kingston, Oct. 17th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light begs lea to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the tender of H. W. Watts for concrete floor the East side of No. 2 Fire Hall, Brock St., at $2.90 per squa yard has been accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. W. LITTON,
D. J. MILLAN,
T. HEWITT,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN,
P. B. CHOWN,

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (5) th the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received a adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Litton presented By-law No. 32, 1918. The By-l was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by tw thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in co mittee of the whole, Ald. Hewitt in the chair and was sign and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 32, 1918.

A By-law to Amend By-law No. 26, 1917.

Passed, Oct. 28th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation the City of Kingston as follows:

1. Section 1 of By-law No. 12 of the Consolidated By-ws is further amended by striking out the words "Samuel J. rniel" in the second line, and substituting the name of "Chief onstable" in lieu thereof.

2. This By-law shall come in force and take effect on its assing.

. W. SANDS, City Clerk. R. E. KENT, [L.S.] Acting Mayor.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Chown (6) that his Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston gives xpression to its deep sense of the incalculable loss the City f Kingston has sustained in the passing of the Honorable enator H. W. Richardson, esteemed beneficant, and full of evotion to his native City. This Council conveys to Mrs. ichardson and family its heartfelt sympathy in this their ad bereavement.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Black, that Council o now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

November 12th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Norris, Newman, O'Connor, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. Smith, White, Wright.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (1) that Col. Kent occupy the chair in the absence of the Mayor.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Black (2) that A. H. Muir act as City Clerk for this meeting.—Carried.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (3) that the Minutes of last meeting be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

James Richardson & Sons, re rebate taxes on No. 100 Stuart St. used as Convalescent Home.

Board of Works.

Kingston, Portsmouth and Cataraqui Electric Railway, re drain on King St. near Barrie.

Jeff T. Lovitt re rebate street watering tax.

City Property.

L. Guess, making application for space for storage in Fair Ground Buildings.

A. Shaw, presenting portrait to the City.

T. J. Rigney, presenting portrait to the City.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. White (4) that this Council on behalf of the Corporation accepts the portraits of Ex-Mayor Abraham Shaw and Ex-Mayor T. J. Rigney, and that said portraits be hung in a suitable place in the City Hall, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the donor with the thanks of the Corporation.—Carried.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Newman presented report No. 58 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, November 7th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That John Ballantyne be paid the sum of $29.28, being the balance to the credit of the Amusement Tax Account from Dec. 1916, to date.

2. That the application of James Richardson & Sons for a refund of $167.17, being amount of taxes paid on the Richardson Home on Stuart Street, which was used as a Convalescent Home, be granted, and that they be notified that on account of the Home not being used as a Convalescent Home now that there be no further refunds of taxes.

3. That the request of J. E. Jones for refund of $10.00 on account of Auctioneer's License be not granted as this Council cannot legally grant the refund.

4. That the large oxygen tank now used in connection with the pulmotor be purchased from the Canada Sanax Company for the sum of $70.00.

5. That the following accounts be paid:—

Kingston, Ont., Nov. 7th, 1918.

His Worship the Mayor and Members Finance Committee.

Gentlemen,—The following accounts have been properly authorized and funds are provided for by budget.

Fire and Light.

S. Anglin & Co., lumber	$ 13 71
T. G. Bishop, brass connection	3 00
Gas Works Coal Yard, coke	130 59
N. C. Polson & Co., supplies	5 65
Robinson Bros., plate glass	12 00
D. J. Waller, hay	27 50
	$ 192 45

Parks.

Canadian Express Co., express	$ 3 35
John Connor Co. Limited, shrubs	21 10
Mohecan Peony Gardens, plants	19 61
	$ 44 06

Printing

Hanson, Crozier & Edgar, Voters' List	$ 464 40

Registry Office.

Public Utilities Commission, service	$ 4 07

The following accounts have been properly authorized but the funds are not provided for by budget.

Board of Works.

Pay list ending Oct. 28th	$1046 61
S. Anglin & Co., lumber	1058 07
Booth & Co., coal	106 75
W. Cockburn, smithwork	9 74
Finkle & Co., horse hire	39 15
Roddy & Monk, stone	315 00
Jas. Sowards Coal Co., coal	78 00
	$2653 31

Yours truly,

A. H. MUIR, City Auditor.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. E. KENT,
J. W. LITTON,
H. W. NEWMAN,
GEO. C. WRIGHT

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Litton (5) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 59 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, Nov. 6th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That on the request of the Kingston, Portsmouth and Cataraqui Electric Railway Company that a drain be constructed from Emily Street westerly about 115 feet at an estimated cost of $250.00, said drain would have to be constructed when King Street from Barrie easterly is paved, and would be charged up against the pavement, and the cost of said drain would be borne by the City on account of it being constructed abutting Macdonald Park, said drain to serve as an outlet for a grate to be put down in the tracks of the Kingston, Portsmouth and Cataraqui Electric Railway, and the cost of said grate to be borne by the Railway Company.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) N. E. O'CONNOR,
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
J. W. SMITH,
A. SIMMONS,
D. COUPER.
D. ALLAN BLACK.
J. W. LITTON,

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Wright (6) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted. —Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 60 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

Kingston, Nov. 5th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That on the communication from the Trades and Labor Council asking that By-law No. 49 be repealed that no action be taken.

2. That the light at the corner of Lansdowne Street and Division Street be moved to the corner of Adelaide and Division Streets.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. W. LITTON,
T. HEWITT,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN.
W. J. B. WHITE,
P. B. CHOWN,
WM. R. CLUGSTON,

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Chown (7) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. N. A. Smith, seconded by Ald. Simmons (8) that clause one of Fire and Light report be struck out.—Lost.

The original was then declared carried.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. White (9) that the disposal of the wood at the Fair Grounds be left entirely with the Chairman of Works.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Clugston, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.15 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

November 25th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Hewitt, Kent, Millan, Norris, Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith White, Wright.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Armstrong, seconded by Ald. Black (1) that the Minutes of last meeting be adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts

Trades and Labor Council re refund rent City Hall and appointing Fair Price Committee.

Mayor Deseronto re "What Shall be Done with the Kaiser?"

Hydro Electric Railway Association of Ontario re general meeting Nov 28th, Toronto.

Leo Hart re refund Statute Labor Tax.

Ross Realty Co. re refund taxes water lots next to Kingston Ice Co.

Board of Works.

Campbell Bros. re moving sign from 84 Princess to 122 Princess St.

Fire and Light.

A. E. Swaine re damage to motor car by motor fire truck.

S. O. S. Report.

Moved by Ald. White, seconded by Ald. Wright (2) that the report of the S. O. S. be received and adopted, and printed in the Minutes of Council, and that the thanks of this Corporation be extended to all persons named in the report and all others for the very unselfish and self-sacrificing work done during the epidemic of influenza. The members of this Corporation have seen and heard with great pleasure of the active continuous and heroic services which were performed by the S. O. S. and believe that on account of this many lives were saved.—Carried.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 61 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, Nov. 22nd, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the account of E. H. Horsey, expenses to Toronto interviewing Provincial Fuel Administrator, amounting to $14.90 be paid.

2. That the sum of $49.94 being amount of taxes on water lots next to the Kingston Ice Company owned by the Ross Realty Co. and used by the Corporation, be refunded.

3. That the Statute Labor Tax of Leo Hart, amounting to $5.00 be refunded.

4. That the following accounts be paid:—

Garbage.

Pay List	$ 510 35
S. Anglin & Co., cedar	7 51
Public Utilties Commission, service	5 85

Parks.

Frank W. Cooke, flags	$ 31 15
George Nicol, bulbs	112 86

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. M. HUGHES, Mayor.
R. E. KENT
H. W. NEWMAN
GEO. C. WRIGHT
N. E. O'CONNOR

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Newman (3) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 62 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, November 20th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the petition of D. Dougherty for a sewer on Adelaide Street be granted, it being sufficiently signed.

(Signed) N. E. O'CONNOR,
GEO. C. WRIGHT,
J. W. SMITH,
A. SIMMONS,
D. ALLAN BLACK.
D. COUPER.

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald Wright (4) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted. —Carried.

S. O. S. REPORT.

The following is a report of the Sisters of Service in connection with the work done during the epidemic of influenza:—

Kingston, Ontario,

23rd November, 1918.

Following is the report of the work done by the Local Branch of the Ontario Emergency Volunteer Health Auxiliary.

According to the instructions received from the Provincial Government on October 14th, 1918, a public meeting was immediately called and the Local Branch of the Ontario Emergency Volunteer Health Auxiliary was formed.

A Committee of thirteen ladies, with the help of Mayor Hughes, and W. F. Nickle, began and carried on the work. Our St. John's Ambulance B.O. Office being headquarters. We received extreme courtesy and consideration from the officers of the Salvation Army Hostel, where our office is.

Lectures on influenza were given in the Medical Building, Queen's University, by Capt. E. C. A. Crawford of Queen's Military Hospital.

On October 16th, 1918, after consultation with the Medical Society the Board of Health and the Mayor, Dr. A. R. B. Williamson, Medical Health Officer, ordered closed forthwith all schools, churches, theatres, etc., and imposed restrictions on Public Assemblies.

156 women gave Voluntary Service in the homes and Emergency Hospital, during the 18 days of Epidemic.

1255 Visits made by S. O. S. Nurses.

600 Patients attended.

200 Families attended.

On October 19th, 1918, an Emergency Hospital for children and mothers was opened at the Great War Veterans Association.

22 families were admitted. These included 57 patients. 2 children died. 6 temporary homes for children were found.

The Army and Navy Veterans put their rooms at the disposal of male convalescent patients, and also provided and delivered soup to the homes of the afflicted.

The Daughters of the Empire provided lunches for the Nurses out on night duty.

35 cars were put at our disposal during the Epidemic.

S. S. Corbett's ambulance, free of charge, was used for transportation of patients.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

IDA C. RONAN, Secretary,
Local Branch, O. E. V. H. A.

BY-LAWS.

Moved by Ald. Clugston that the Council go into the Committee of the whole on the second reading of By-law No. 25, 1918.—Carried.

The Council then considered the By-law in the Committee of the whole on the second reading.

Moved by Ald. Couper that the words "said bathing house to be the property of the party of the First Part" be added to the Clause in the Schedule after the words "on the site hereinafter named" in the second paragraph.—Carried.

The By-law was amended accordingly and passed second reading.

Moved by Ald Clugston that the 31st rule be suspended and that Council go into the Committee of the whole on the third reading, signed and sealed by the Mayor.—Carried.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. O'Connor (5) that a two plank walk be laid on Johnson St. from Toronto St. a distance of 530 feet westerly, and that Finance Committee be asked to provide the funds.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Chown that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.30 p.m.

Mayor. City Clerk.

Dec. 9th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald Armstrong, Anglin, Black, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hooper Hewitt, Litton Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, N. A. Smith, White, Wright.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Couper (1) that the Minutes of last meeting be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Finance and Accounts.

Albert H Abbott, Sec. Organization of Resources Committee, re cost of living.

W. J. Dawson, Lt.-Col. Cmdg. 46th Battn., Sask. Regt., re German guns as trophies for Kingston.

Public Utilities asking for $1870.00 for extension of water main on Morton St.

Board of Works.

W. Lacey asking for refund for snow shoveling.

J. S R McCann requesting to have the steps at 116 Ordnance St. replaced.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. Peters (2) that the request of J. S. R. McCann be granted.—Carried.

Mrs. McMillan, re claim for damages on account of defective drain.

REPORTS.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 63 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, Dec. 5th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the Ladies Auxiliary of the Army and Navy Veterans Association be granted the sum of $200 for assisting in providing lunches at the station for soldiers returning from overseas.

2. That Clause 5, Report No. 63, 1916, be rescinded.

3. That a further appropriation of $1500 be granted to the Board of Works.

4. That the following accounts be paid:—

Miss Helen Fraser, copies of wills	$ 42 30
H. Attwood, honorarium	100 00
F. Sager	48 00
Rees Bros., fireworks	23 83

The following accounts have been properly authorized and funds provided by By-law or Budget.

Fire and Light.

S. Anglin & Co., lumber	$ 6 07
Canadian Express Co., supplies	14 96
Collingwood Shipbuilding Co., plate	75
E. Chown & Son, supplies	9 63
R. Crawford, coal	45 25
Imperial Steam Laundry, service	7 56
Jas. Laturney Carriage Works, repairs	3 95
J. A. Lowry, horseshoeing	9 20
L. W. Murphy, supplies	4 00
H. Maclean, hay	34 33
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	1 58
J. W. Oldfin & Co., supplies	5 70
Public Utilities Commission, service	1679 51
Stevenson & Hunter, supplies	15 72
Treadgold Sporting Goods Co., supplies	4 00
J. J. Tangher, horseshoeing	12 75
H. W. Watts, concrete floor	256 75

Parks.

Pay List to Nov. 12th	69 00
Pay List to Nov. 27th	59 70
W. L. Grass, trees	12 00

Registry Office.

British Whig Pub. Co., register	20 00
McKelvey & Birch, repairs	3 90

Printing

Thos. McAuley, supplies	1 25

War Expense.

Canadian Patriotic Fund, grant	35,000 00

Surburban Area

County of Frontenac, grant	4000 00

Contingencies.

Pay List, delivering Tax Demands	10 20
City Registrar, Transfers, etc.	7 56
J. P. Hanley, Pauper Pass	1 50
S. J. Nesbitt, cab hire	3 00
R. J. Reid, pauper burial	12 00

The following accounts are properly authorized but funds are not provided by Budget or By-law.

Board of Works.

Pay List to Oct. 28, 1918	$1046 61
Pay List to Nov. 12, 1918	901 65
Pay List to Nov. 27, 1918	835 07
Canadian Express Co., express	3 58
Finkle & Co., horse hire	36 25
Frontenac Lumber & Coal Co., cement	627 13
W. Gilmour, repairs	62 90
Kingston Sand & Gravel Co., sand	48 00
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	552 41
G. A. Wright, repairs	1 80

Fuel Control

British Whig Pub. Co., letterheads	3 25

War Expense

Overseas Pay List for November	48 66
Navy League of Canada, grant	10,000 00
Public Utilities Commission, service	4 50

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. M. HUGHES, Mayor.
S. S. CORBETT,
J. W. LITTON,
GEO. C. WRIGHT
R. E. KENT
H. W. NEWMAN

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (3) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 64 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

Kingston, Dec. 3rd, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That no action be taken on the communication of A. E. Swaine making claim for damages to his car by the fire truck as said fire truck was proceeding to a fire and under the City By-laws the fire apparatus has the right-of-way.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. W. LITTON,
T. HEWITT,
W. J. B. WHITE,
WM. R. CLUGSTON,
P. B. CHOWN,
CHAS. S. ANGLIN.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. White (4) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Black (5) that the strip of land one foot wide on Toronto St., recently purchased from Armstrong and Cook, Toronto, be sold to the property owners whose land is abutting on said strip of land; that the total price be $100 plus all expenses in connection with the same, and the persons interested be required to pay on a basis of number of feet frontage.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Clugston (6) that the next meeting of Council be held on Dec. 16th, instead of Dec. 23rd and that the different Committees hold their meetings this week instead of next week.—Carried.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Chown, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10.30 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

Dec. 13th, 1918.

A special meeting of the City Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hooper, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith, White, Wright.

The Mayor explained that he had called the meeting for the purpose of considering a By-law to submission to the ratepayers for the purpose of raising $25,000 for repairs to the buildings at the Fair Grounds.

Ald. Corbett presented the By-law, and moved that the By-law be read a first time, which was carried. He then moved that the Council go into the Committee of the whole on the second reading, the Mayor in the chair.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Kent in amendment to Clause 1 of the By-law that the Committee rise and report progress.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Litton, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10.30 P.M.

Mayor. **City Clerk.**

Dec. 16th, 1918.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held this evening at eight o'clock, His Worship Mayor Hughes presiding.

Present:—Ald. Armstrong, Anglin, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Millan, Norris, Newman, O'Connor, Peters, Simmons, J. W. Smith, N. A. Smith, White, Wright.

Minutes.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Couper (1) that the Minutes of last meeting as printed be adopted.—Carried.

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Galt, re Widows' Pensions.

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City Health.

Sergt. F.. R. Bailey re refund of garbage tax.

Special Committee to Strike Standing Committees, 1919.

National Council of Women asking the City Council to appoint a woman on the Board of Education.

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W. McGarry re remittance to British Red Cross.

REPORTS.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 65 from the Committee appointed to investigate the price of milk as follows:

Pursuant to instructions from the City Council the Committee have conducted an investigation into the cost of milk to the distributors, and the condition under which it is bought and sold.

Your Committee find that the charge made by the Canada Food Board in their letter of November 7th, that the distributors are exceeding the gross margin of profit allowed by Order-in-Council, is not sustained by the investigation.

Most of the distributors are selling for twelve cents per quart and in those cases where the price is fourteen cents the milk is pasteurized and bottled. The extra cost of treating and bottling milk is about two cents per quart.

While the Order-in-Council makes no allowance for cost of processing milk as compared with delivery of milk direct from the dairy, your Committee is of the opinion that in the interest of the consumer such treatment should be encouraged

by allowing the distributor who used the process at least the cost of the process in excess of the price demanded by his competitor.

Owing to the fact that the cost of milk to the distributor varies with the season your Committee recommends that the vendors be required to give to the Inspector every three months a sworn statement as to what the cost is to them at the date of the statement and that he report to the Council whether in his opinion the distributor is getting a larger spread than the law allows. If this were done he could control the situation without difficulty.

(Signed) R. EASTON BURNS, Chairman.

M. P. REID.

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Couper (2) that the report of the Special Committee to investigate and report on the price of milk be filed.—Carried.

Finance and Accounts.

Ald. Kent presented report No. 66 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

Kingston, Dec. 12th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the Commission on licenses up to August 1st be paid to S. J. Arniel, and that the commission for the balance of the year be placed in the Police General Fund.

2. That the application of Public Utilities for the sum of $1,870.00 for the extension of a water main on Morton St. running from the Cor. of King and Morton in an S.E. direction 375 ft. be granted.

3. That the account of Lemmon & Son (Cohen Bldg.) amounting to $6.77 be paid.

4. That the honorarii recommended by the Board of Health be paid.

5. That the request of the Kingston Trades and Labor Council for refund rental of City Hall, Aug 2nd last, be not granted.

6. That the City Assessor attend the meeting in Toronto on the 17th December re revision of Assessment Act, and that his expenses be paid.

7. That a grant of $50.00 be given to the Kingston Poultry Association.

8. That whereas on account of war conditions the Frontenac Floor and Wall Tile Co., Ltd , were not able to comply with the Agreement with the City re wages paid out and number of employees, that said Company be relieved from this obligation for the year ending Feb. 28th, 1918, and Feb. 28th, 1919.

9. That this Council is in favor of the resolution of the Council of the City of Toronto re discontinuance of the Provincial War Tax.

10. That J. E. Jones be remitted the sum of $10.00, being one-quarter of cost of Auctioneer's License for the year.

11. That the City Treasurer be instructed to pay all unpaid accounts for 1918 when properly signed and certified by the Auditor.

12. That the following accounts be paid:—

The following accounts have been authorized by Council and funds provided by Budget or By-law:

Fire and Light

Morris Yampolsky, clothing .....$ 281 70

City Health.

Pay List to Nov. 28th	501 75
S Anglin & Co, supplies	24 48
T B Angrove, iron ring	11 13
W. J Gates, wood	90 00
W Gilmour, repairs	12 50
McKelvey & Birch, fire brick	7 20
L W Murphy, sleigh box	20 00
Robinson Bros., sign	2 50
G. A Wright, repairs	12 10

Parks.

Canadian Pacific Ry., rent	25 00

Interest.

House of Refuge, interest on trust funds	114 00

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Canadian Pacific Ry Co's Tel., message	28
City Registrar, List of Deeds	1 40
J. M. Hughes, attending Convention	17 00

Printing.

British Whig Pub. Co., ads.	50 95
The Jackson Press, supplies	1 00
Thos. McAuley, supplies	21 50
Standard Printing & Pub. Co., ads.	15 50

The following accounts have been authorized but funds are not properly provided:—

Board of Works.

S. Anglin & Co., lumber	63 07
Bell Telephone Co., service	1 80
Canadian Engineer, subscription	3 00
Wm. Cockburn, smithwork	17 76
Henry Corcoran, cutting wood	82 50
McKelvey & Birch, supplies	37 10
Public Utilities Commission, jute	75
Roddy & Monk, stone	399 48

City Property and Markets.

Pay List to Nov. 12th	43 80
Pay List to Nov. 28th	61 43
Burke & Graham, repairs	4 10
W. B. Dalton & Sons, supplies	10 75
Imperial Steam Laundry, laundry	61
McKelvey & Birch, cord	10 00
Public Utilities Commission, service	124 15
Taylor & Hamilton, repairs	28 45

Fuel Control.

Bell Telephone Co., message	30

(Signed) J. M. HUGHES, Mayor.
R. E. KENT
J. W. LITTON
S. S. CORBETT
H. W. NEWMAN,
G. C. WRIGHT

Moved by Ald. Kent, seconded by Ald. Litton (3) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Board of Works.

Ald. O'Connor presented report No. 67 from the Board of Works as follows:—

Kingston, Dec. 11th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen.—The Board of Works begs leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That no action be taken on the application of T. J. Lovitt for street watering.

2. That the application of Campbell Bros. to move an electric sign from their present place of business to 122 Princess St. be granted.

3 That in regard to the question of snow removal referred to this Board the following is submitted:—The City Solicitor points out that the power of the City Council in the removal of snow and ice is governed by Sec. 399 of the Municipal Act, Sub-Sec. 61 and 62, as follows:—

SNOW AND ICE—REMOVAL OF.

61. For requiring the occupants of buildings adjoining a highway in the municipality or in any defined area of it to clear away and remove the snow and ice from the roofs of such buildings and from the sidewalks adjoining their premises and for regulating the times when and the manner in which the same shall be done.

62 For clearing away and removing snow and ice from the roofs of unoccupied buildings adjoining a highway and from the sidewalks adjoining the premises and adjoining vacant land in the municipality or in any defined area of it at the expense of the owner, and for collecting or recovering the expenses incurred in so doing in the manner provided by section 500.

Thus Section 61 requires the occupants of buildings adjoining a highway to clear away and remove the snow and ice from the sidewalks adjoining their premises, and Sec. 62 allows a By-law to be passed for clearing away and removing snow and ice from sidewalks adjoining unoccupied buildings and vacant lots, and for collecting, and recovering the expense of so doing in the manner provided for by Section 500, said section giving the Municipality the right to recover the expense in like manner as Municipal taxes.

The Council can only pass By-laws in accordance with the above.

4. That the salary of the City Engineer be increased to $1800, to date from Oct. 1st, 1918.

(Signed) GEO. C. WRIGHT
J. W. SMITH
D. COUPER
J. W. LITTON, objecting to Clause 4.
A. SIMMONS, objecting to Clause 4
N. E. O'CONNOR.

Moved by Ald. O'Connor, seconded by Ald. Wright (4) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Simmons, seconded by Ald. Litton that Clause 4 be changed to read $2000 instead of $1800 per year. Carried on the following division:—

Yeas—Mayor Hughes, Ald. Anglin, Couper, Clugston, Chown, Corbett, Hewitt, Kent, Litton, Norris, Newman, Peters, Simmons, White (14).

Nays—Ald. Armstrong, Millan, O'Connor, Smith, J. W., Smith, N. A. (5).

The original motion was then carried as amended.

Fire and Light.

Ald. Litton presented report No. 68 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

Kingston, Dec. 10th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

Gentlemen,—The Committee on Fire and Light begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the Chairman be authorized to purchase a cutter for the use of the Chief, cost not to exceed $60.00.

2. That a sufficient amount of money be transeferred from the General appropriation to pay all salaries.

(Signed) JOHN W. LITTON
D. J. MILLAN
T. HEWITT
P. B. CHOWN
W. R. CLUGSTON
CHAS. S. ANGLIN
W. J. B. WHITE

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Chown (5) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Property and Markets.

Ald Corbett presented report No. 69 from the Committee on City Property and Markets as follows:—

Kingston, Dec. 9th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen.—The Committee on City Property and Markets begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That whereas considerable expenditures are being made on the buildings at the Fair Grounds, and as the insurance previously held was too small, we recommend that the following amounts be placed on the buildings named below:—

Crystal Palace	$8.000
Poultry Shed	1.000
Agricultural Hall	3.500
Grand Stand	900
Cattle Sheds	200

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) S. S. CORBETT,
P. B. CHOWN
R. G. ARMSTRONG.
D. J. MILLAN,
JAMES NORRIS,
W. P. PETERS.

Moved by Ald. Corbett, seconded by Ald. Chown (6) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

City Health.

Ald. Newman presented report No. 70 from the Committee on City Health as follows:—

Kingston, Dec. 11th, 1918.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

Gentlemen,—The Committee on City Health begs leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That there has been a gradual progress in the efficiency of this Department during the year, and owing to the energies of the Inspector it is a rare thing to have a complaint regarding the collection. This is in such great contrast to former methods of so-called collection of garbage and refuse that we think it is very much in favor of the present system.

There has also been a reduction made in the cost of collection, which the following table will show:—

	1917.	1918.
Wages paid	$11,645 49	$11,537 34
114 Cords wood consumed	634 90	
55½ Cords wood consumed		429 10
Engineer's Salary	800 00	Nil.

The increase in wages during the year amounted to $637 50, but on account of getting on without an Engineer at a salary of $800 a saving was made in this regard of $162 50, and a reduction of 58½ cords of wood with a saving of $205.80.

During the year the Committee disposed of the boiler for $600, which sum went into general revenue.

(Signed) H. W. NEWMAN,
T. HEWITT
CHAS. S. ANGLIN.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. Anglin (7) that the report of the Committee on City Health be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Peters presented By-law No. 33, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. White in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW No. 33, 1918.

A By-law to fix the place in each ward in the City of Kingston where the nomination of candidates for the office of Alderman and for the office of Public School Trustee shall take place, and to appoint Returning Officers to hold the said nominations.

Passed, December 16th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the council of the corporation of the City of Kingston as follows,—

1. The nominations of candidates for the office of Alderman and for the office of Public School Trustee in and for the

several wards in this City at the next ensuing municipal elections shall take place therein respectively at the places hereinafter designated and shall be held by the respective Returning Officers hereinafter named, that is to say,—

(a) Sydenham Ward at No. 88 William St. Patrick Daly, Returning Officer.

(b) Ontario Ward at Council Chamber. John E. Johnson, Returning Officer.

(c) St. Lawrence Ward, at No. 316 Princess St. A. E. Loscombe, Returning Officer.

(d) Cataraqui Ward, at No. 72 Queen St. W. J. Clarke, Returning Officer.

(e) Frontenac Ward, at Co. Queen and Barrie Sts. W. J. Driver, Returning Officer.

(f) Rideau Ward, at Cor. Brock and Division Sts. George Cornelius, Returning Officer.

(g) Victoria Ward, at Cor. Union and Division Sts. William Perry, Returning Officer.

2. This By-Law shall take effect on its passing.

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

Ald. Millan presented By-law No. 34, 1918. The By-law was read a first time and the 31st rule being suspended by two-thirds vote a second and third time, the second being in committee of the whole, Ald. Smith in the chair and was signed and sealed as follows:—

BY-LAW NO. 34, 1918.

A By-law to appoint Deputy Returning Officers and places for holding the next ensuing municipal elections for the City of Kingston and next ensuing elections for the office of Public School Trustee in the several wards of the said City.

Passed, December 16th, 1918.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston as follows,—

1. The votes of the electors of the City of Kingston at the next ensuing municipal elections and the next ensuing election for the office of Public School Trustee in said City shall be taken at the following places in the said Municipality and by the following Deputy Returning Officers, namely,—

Sydenham Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 1, at No. 88 Gore St. T. J. Lovitt, Deputy Returning Officer.

Sydenham Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 2, at No. 90 William St. Thomas R. Power, Deputy Returning Officer.

Ontario Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 3, at City Buildings. Francis Quinn, Deputy Returning Officer.

Ontario Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 4, at No. 216 Bagot St. John E. Johnston, Deputy Returning Officer.

St. Lawrence Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 5, at Cor. King and Princess Sts. A. E. Loscombe, Deputy Returning Officer.

St. Lawrence Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 6, at No. 316 Princess St. W. H. Carson, Deputy Returning Officer.

Cataraqui Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 7, at No. 72 Queen St. A. J. Miller, Deputy Returning Officer.

Cataraqui Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 8, at No. 229 Wellington St. Wallace Gilmour, Deputy Returning Officer.

Cataraqui Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 9, at Cor. Bay and Bagot Sts. William Woods, Deputy Returning Officer.

Cataraqui Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 10, at No. 227 Montreal St. Albert B. Sherman, Deputy Returning Officer.

Frontenac Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 11, at No. 149 Sydenham St. W. J. Driver, Deputy Returning Officer.

Frontenac Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 12, at No. 83 Colborne St. George Clenahan, Deputy Returning Officer.

Frontenac Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 13, at No. 136 Ordnance St. James B. Holland, Deputy Returning Officer.

Frontenac Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 14, at No. 58 John St. Ernest Hughson, Deputy Returning Officer.

Frontenac Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 15, at Cor. Pine and Cowdy Sts. Charles Hebert, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 16 at No. 270 Division St. W. J. Saunders, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 17, at No. 621 Princess St. James Barry, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 18, at No. 346 Brock St. Richard James, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 19, at No. 34 U. William St. Herbert Holder, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 20, at No. 346 University Ave. Harry Sharpe, Deputy Returning Officer.

Rideau Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 21, at No. 678 Princess St. George Cornelius, Deputy Returning Officer.

Victoria Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 22, at No. 216 Earl St. R. F. Greenlees, Deputy Returning Officer.

Victoria Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 23, Cor. Union and Division Sts. John Ashley, Deputy Returning Officer.

Victoria Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 24, at No. 57 King St. W. Ford Webster, Deputy Returning Officer.

Victoria Ward—Polling Subdivision No. 25, Cor. King and Beverley Sts., James Evans, Deputy Returning Officer.

2. This By-law shall take effect on its passing.

W. W. SANDS,
City Clerk.

J. M. HUGHES,
Mayor [L.S.]

Ald. O'Connor presented By-law No. 31 for second reading. The By-law was read a second time in the committee of the whole, Ald. Wright in the chair.

Moved by Ald. O'Connor that the 31st rule be suspended and the By-law be now read a third time, signed and sealed by the Mayor.—Carried.

The By-law is printed on Page 172, Minutes of Council, 1918.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald Armstrong (8) that the fixed salaries of City employees for the balance of the year be paid on December 20th, 1918.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Corbett (9) that the Reporters of the Whig and Standard be granted the amount as stated in the Budget for Reporters' fees for services rendered to the Council during 1918.—Carried.

Moved by Ald Clugston, seconded by Ald Armstrong (10) that all city laborers be paid on the 20th for wages due them up to and including Dec. 19th, 1918.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Litton, seconded by Ald. Hewitt (11) that the City Clerk be instructed to advertise in both City papers offering a reward of $50 00 for the conviction of any person or persons found interfering with the fire alarm boxes or system.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Newman, seconded by Ald. O'Connor (12) that the Tax Collector withhold issuing distress warrants on

returned soldiers for Statute Labor Tax until March 1st.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Wright, seconded by Ald. White (13)

That this Council desires to express their appreciation of the services of His Worship the Mayor during the past two years, and hereby tender him a sincere vote of thanks.

On account of the extraordinary times occasioned by way of conditions a lot of hard work was thrown on the shoulders of His Worship, but he did not fail in the slightest degree, but gave freely of his time and talents and met every condition and emergency.

As Chairman of the Finance Committee he gave a careful scrutiny pertaining to this Department and established a splendid precedent of living within the Budget estimates.

He has been most attentive to the very important work of meeting and making welcome the returned soldier, night or day found His Worship waiting to give them a welcome home.

The Charities found him a warm and enthusiastic benefactor, and he gave not only advice and counsel, but his purse was open also.

During the recent epidemic His Worship was very much in evidence and devoted his whole time to the cause of the afflicted, making arrangement for medical attendance, procuring medicines and necessary comforts and finding suitable places where the influenza victims could be properly treated. Thanks to the Mayor and those who assisted him the City was tided over this epidemic with but very little cost to the Corporation, whereas other Cities paid out thousands of dollars.

This Council realizes that His Worship has been head of the Municipality in more than name only as under his administration all citizens whether high or low, rich or poor, received the same careful attention and consideration, and he has taken the lead in every movement or measure to protect the interests of or promote the welfare and health of all citizens. All his work has been carefully and well done without ostentation and he has left a record which will always be prized by the ratepayers and an example for his successors to follow.

To Adjourn.

Moved by Ald. Couper, seconded by Ald. Armstrong, that Council do now adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10.30 P.M.

Mayor. City Clerk.

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